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## TO WAGE EARNERS

### Mr. Bryan Tells Benefits of Free Silver.

IN REPLY TO THE APPEALS TO LABOR.

**Incidents of the Election—Bets and Estimates.**

In reply to the question, "Will free silver while raising wages, injure labor by increasing the cost of living," Mr. Bryan has given the following answer:

That is a question that is propounded by the manufacturer-employer, who seems to be terribly afraid that under free coinage he will have to get his men for less wages than they are working for now. I want to say that, in the sense in which the words are used, I reply, NO. There are two things to be considered:

First, the number of dollars that the laboring man receives, and second, the purchasing power of the dollar he receives.

If you take the purchasing power of a single dollar, it will be less; but at the present time a great many workingmen are working on half time, and many are not able to find work at all, and you must remember that, when you decide whether the purchasing power of the workingman's wages is decreased, you must take what the workingman will receive in dollars under free coinage and compare it with what the workingman receives in dollars now under the gold standard.

More than that, you also have to consider that under the present conditions when a man loses his job it is hard to find work again, and that every man who finds employment is menaced by idle men, increasing in number, who stand ready to take his place at a moment's notice.

We insist that the conditions that will be brought about by the free coinage of silver, the increased demand for work in order to supply the goods which will be consumed when the people are prosperous under bimetalism, and the increasing wages will come with a greater demand for labor, we insist that, when these things are considered, the workingman will receive more dollars and that he can buy more with the larger wages which he will receive under free coinage than he can buy now with the few dollars he receives under the gold standard, and then his employment will be more permanent.

Let me give you a test. I challenge you to find an instance where the laboring man ever suffered because of the bimetallic standard. They tell you that prices will rise. I believe that general prices will rise. They tell you that that means suffering to the workingman. I want you to look back over the period when we had rising prices, and you will find that those times were the best that the workingman ever had, because he not only had more steady employment and better wages, but the property that he had also rose, whereas today, if his wages buy more per dollar, the property that he owns goes down in value as the dollar goes up.

Remember that the laboring men have never indorsed the gold standard in any nation that has had it; and when you see the beauties of the gold standard are so disguised that a financier has to spend all the time during the campaign pointing out those blessings to the laboring man, who cannot discover them when they are pointed out, you will understand what the gold standard has done for the laboring man.

### FUNERALS.

O'NEIL—The remains of Mrs. Daniel O'Neil arrived in this city from Charlestown this morning and were interred in the Catholic cemetery. Deceased formerly resided in this city and has many friends here.


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## FROM THE SCENE OF BATTLE

### Bryan Returns to Chicago and Enthusiastically Received.

### Frewen Predicts Bryan's Election—Cockran Gets a Rough Reception and is Abusive—Democratic Leaders Send Out Warning Against Buying Votes—McKinley Still Visited by Excursions.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—In an interview, Moreton Frewen, the English bimetallist, who is now here and who, early this week, wrote the London Times that Bryan would probably be elected, said: "You see, if English investors in American securities are prepared in advance for Bryan's election, there will be no panic. I prefer to prepare these English investors rather than to have them wake up a week from today and find he is elected. If they are not prepared, and Bryan is elected, there would be infinite disaster to the English holders of American securities.

"I may be, and probably am, very wrong in my conclusions as to Bryan's election, but still I believe I am right in preparing the English investors in American securities for this election. I saw Mr. Bryan and told him that, in my opinion, he could not overcome the forces against him. Mr. Bryan replied: 'There is only one way to overcome that, and that is by awakening a national sentiment. The people must be frightened—that is the way to overthrow the gold standard.'"

"What do English investors in American securities think about the matter?"

"I do not know," said Mr. Frewen. "English investors are like a flock of sheep, easily stampeded one way or the other."

"On what information do you base your opinion of Bryan's election?"

"I have talked with Senator Jones and Senator Teller," rejoined Mr. Frewen.

"Whom have you talked with on the other side?"

"I do not care to say."

"If you were a citizen of America, would you vote for Mr. Bryan?" was asked.

"I would vote for free silver," replied Mr. Frewen.

"Would you vote for Mr. Bryan?" again Mr. Frewen was asked.

"I am not prepared to say," said Mr. Frewen.

**What Leaders Say.**

Three distinguished men, Hanna, Jones and Butler, made prophecies yesterday. Their prognostications were:

Mark Hanna (Rep.)—We are closing up our ranks for the final charge next Tuesday. The indications for an overwhelming victory become stronger every day as election draws nearer.

James K. Jones (Dem.) The fight is over, and was practically won some days ago. We are waiting with perfect serenity and confidence the results which will be declared when the polls close next Tuesday.

Marion Butler (Pop.)—I am absolutely certain of the election of Bryan. Michigan, Indiana and Minnesota are for him, without any doubt. We shall probably carry this state, but even if we do lose it, we shall win. I feel certain of the result.

Chairman Hanna yesterday expressed the most absolute confidence in McKinley's success. Mr. Hanna was not prepared to issue any official statement, but he says he expects that Major McKinley will receive at least 300 votes in the electoral college, and it is not uncertain that he will get 310. He expects that there will be a large vote from the Gold Democrats in various parts of the country, especially in the eastern and middle western states.

Senator Butler, chairman of the Populist national committee, was, with Vice Chairman Washburn, in consultation with Chairman Jones, of the Democratic committee, much of the time yesterday. They went over the details of the campaign, at considerable length, together. They authorize no statement, but they agreed in classing Minnesota, Michigan and Indiana as certain for Bryan. Much time was spent in discussing the aspect as affected by the Populist vote, and Senator Jones was assured by Messrs. Butler and Washburn that that vote would be practically unanimous for Bryan. "It is," said Senator Butler, "in much better shape than we could have hoped for at the beginning of the campaign. There are, to be sure, a few states in which fusion has not been arranged, but there has been no failure in any state where Mr. Bryan's chances could be imperilled by failure." Jones was also assured that there need be no apprehension that Watson would do anything to imperil Bryan's chances. His much discussed letter of acceptance will not be given to the public. Senator Butler will not give it out, and it is understood that Watson has also agreed to withhold it.

**Back In Chicago.**

After a hard day's campaigning, William J. Bryan returned to Chicago last night, arriving at the Northwestern railroad station at 7:15 p. m. A crowd of several hundred people met him at the depot, and cheered lustily as he left his car. Mr. Bryan had dined before reaching Chicago, and was met at the train by the reception committee, which was to guide him about the city. He entered a carriage at the station, and was driven directly to the hall, at which he made his first address. The nominee made eight speeches on the North and Northwest sides. At each meeting he was enthusiastically greeted by large crowds.

### COULDN'T SCARE HIM.

**Bourke Cockran Boldly Faced Would-Be Disturbers at Norfolk.**

Norfolk, Oct. 30.—Great preparations were made yesterday for the speech of Bourke Cockran. Armory hall had put on gala dress. A stand had been erected on the west side of the hall, draped with American flags, as was also the western gallery front, the flags being borrowed from the navy yard, for this and other like occasions of this campaign. At 2 p. m., to the strains of "Hail to the Chief," from the Naval Post band, Mr. Cockran entered the hall, escorted by the gold standard leaders in this city. He was greeted with cheers, followed by cheers for Bryan and Sewall, and for Young and McKinley. As Mr. Cockran moved to the front of the stage, he was greeted with mingled cheers and hisses. The latter demonstration, Mr. Cockran made use of, and he remarked: "I never object to Populistic arguments, and these shouts are among the best of them I have heard. Populists can't wait for success before they begin their establishment of disorder. I stand here to oppose the wrong done our party by those men"—here he was interrupted again by cheers for Bryan, and some one cried: "Put him out."

"No," said Mr. Cockran, "leave him here as an object lesson."

Later, asking "What do the Populists propose to do?" he waved his hand toward the door, where the crowd that now filled the hall, probably numbering fully 6000, was most dense, and remarked: "The disorderly attempts to suppress free speech in this campaign, as shown by these ruffians, is indication."

Hisses, groans and cheers greeted this sentiment. The hostile demonstration had become so strong that he could not go on further. Mr. Cockran added fuel to the fire by interspersing the statements he made, which many met with derision, by references like these: "Bryan and the crowd of lunatics and ruffians who follow him;" "Every laborer will understand me; no Populist can;" "Let them alone, they are simply illustrating their platform, which stands for anarchy and riot."

Here the uproar became deafening, and from all sides were heard "What of slave-holders?" "How about that Madison square speech?"

Mr. Cockran said that he had been misrepresented by the press as to his Madison Square Garden speech, and that only a few lines of what he said had been quoted in the papers. The speaker said he had voted in congress to repeal the election law. Continuing, he said: "During a few years past the south has been disgraced by a number of wretches who have pretended to represent her, but Tillman no more represents the south than do the ruffians of this audience who have disturbed me."

Again the uproar stopped him, and the voice of Mayor Mayo was heard, commanding order. While the latter was speaker, Mr. Cockran waited. Mayor Mayo was cheered to the echo for his defense of good order, and made his way to the platform, where he apologized for the interruption. Mr. Cockran accepted his apologies, but stated that there was no need for his action, as the people recognized the source from which the disturbance came. The meeting then went on smoothly, and with a grand oratorical finish, Mr. Cockran ended his speech. Mr. Cockran left for New York last night.

**Talk of Purchasing Ballots.**

Washington, Oct. 30.—The following address to voters was issued from the Democratic congressional committee headquarters last night: "In the preliminary battle of the people against the plutocracy, the people have already won. In spite of an expenditure of money so large that the civilized world stands appalled at its magnitude, today a large majority of the people of the United States are in open revolt against the merciless gold standard, and the domination of the country by the syndicated wealth of Europe and America, interested in securing or preventing legislation and controlling the execution of the laws in their interest. All that is necessary to secure the registering of the people's will is to see that every voter comes to the polls and cast an unpurchased ballot. Many of the millions collected by the syndicate have been reserved for election day. Beaten at every point, the last resort of money is to buy the ballot of the voter, by purchasing his absence from the polls, or to coerce his vote by intimidation. To prevent this is possible, if every patriot will do his duty. Every member of a club must go to the polls early in the morning of election day, cast his ballot, and remain there until the polls close, and the result is announced. Take care that every voter gets to the polls and casts his vote. Note down the name of every absent voter. Let it be known that the citizen who fails to vote, unless prevented by extreme sickness, has either been purchased by the money of the corruptionists, or is otherwise unworthy to be called a citizen. All signs indicate the overwhelming triumph of the people, and to no organizations is more credit due for this than to the clubs, the people's organizations, created for no selfish purpose, and battling for the liberties of the people, as in the days of their founder, the illustrious author of the Declaration of Independence."


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## "HORSE TRADERS" GUILTY

### Councilman Hunton and Charles A. Clapp Convicted.

### And They Are Now Awaiting Sentence, While Councilman Maguire and George and Supt. Cheney Are Exonerated—Sentence Deferred.

After the close of Dist. Attorney Wier's able plea the judge charged the jury and gave them the case for decision.

**Finding of the Jury.**

Having received the marked indictment the jurors were not heard from again for some time, when they sent down to ascertain something in relation to evidence.

Nearly all the spectators remained in anticipation of a verdict, and the defendants sat with other members of the city council anxiously awaiting their fate.

It is a noticeable fact that throughout the trial Messrs. Cheney, Maguire and George appeared most concerned and anxious about their position, while Messrs. Hunton and Clapp were as cool as the proverbial cucumbers from beginning to end.

As darkness came on the gas jets were lighted, but for some unknown reason did not give good light, throwing just enough over the large room to fill it with shadows and add a weird appearance to the scene.

The judge was in his room during the interim, while the spectators gradually thinned out as the hour for supper approached. But there were two men who stayed by the defendants throughout and who appeared to have the deepest sympathy for them, and they were Alderman Pevey and Councilman Eveleth.

About 6 o'clock the court and the lawyers held a conference in regard to allowing the jury to go to supper and to take a recess until evening.

At 6.10, however, the little bell in the jury room was heard to ring, its silvery echo penetrating every nook and corner of the courtroom and vibrating with awful significance in the ears of the defendants.

They filed in with fixed faces and the deep voice of clerk Ambrose broke the depressing silence with the words: "Mr. Foreman and gentlemen have you agreed upon a verdict?"

"We have" was the response.

Jonathan G. Hunton was called and he stood at the bar. The foreman made a slight mistake. He said "We found him not guilty in the fifth" and then corrected himself saying, "in the second count." Then each defendant was called in turn each was found not guilty in the second count and it was "good for some eyes" to see the happy looks upon the faces of Cheney, Maguire and George.

"Then came the fifth count.

"Jonathan G. Hunton" was called again and the foreman said "guilty" while Hunton never moved even a muscle.

George and Maguire were found not guilty.

And then came a moment which Supt. Cheney will never forget.

He stood as his name was called.

"Guilty" said the foreman and Cheney for the moment was an object of pity.

"No not guilty" said several of the jurors bending forward.

The foreman looked again and said: "Not guilty," and Supt. Cheney with a sigh of relief sat down.

Mr. Burke gave notice that he would take the matter up on exceptions.

It is said a hearing will be given next Friday in the form in which the exceptions will go to the Supreme court, if allowed.

A second indictment against Mr. Hunton alleges that he sold a horse to the city in violation of the statute. On that charge he furnished $1500 security and he furnished a like amount on the charge upon which he was found guilty, though this second indictment is affected by the finding in the first.

It was too late to fix the matter of sentence last night and court then adjourned, having established a hard but it is to be hoped effective precedent for city councilmen in the years to come.

The fifth count alleged a sale of horses by Clapp, whereby Hunton received a bonus or reward, while the second count alleged that Hunton sold the horses to the city.

Having connected Messrs. Hunton, Cheney and Clapp, Councilman George is introduced as a conspirator. Then the committee was appointed and a meeting was called at Hunton's stable. Then it is known to the prosecution that every man is a party to it. Then they vote to buy horses at $200 each without asking Hunton where he got them or not even seeing Clapp about the price. Then they go immediately to Clapp's stable and purchase eight horses without going to anyone else's stable. "That transaction is so rank, so bold, that there isn't a man who took part in it, but is either dishonest or a fool.

Mr. Wier then took up the fact of Mr. George purchasing a horse from Mr. Hunton and the suspicious incidents connected with it.

In concluding Mr. Wier said that the jurors should not find a verdict of not guilty, simply because this is a misdemeanor, because you can sit on the criminal panel for terms and not meet a more important case to the public than this. Why, if this sort of proceeding is allowed where can you find an honest man who will go into politics and serve his city. I ask you in all sincerity when will you ever have a case of this kind so strong as this, if you don't convict these men, it means that you can't convict a man of any crime of conspiracy in the county of Middlesex. If that goes abroad, where will the taxpayers find protection. But this is not a question of taxes, it is a question of public morals, and you are all here as a guardians of those morals. He laid great stress upon the necessity of putting aside sympathy for the defendants and their families and their heretofore good reputations, when considerating the evidence with a view of returning a verdict.

During the latter portion of his argument Mr. Burke interrupted Mr. Wier with an objection to a remark, which Mr. Wier modified slightly and proceeded.

Mr. Wier's argument took up an even two hours.

After a recess of a few minutes the court began his address to the jury. After the usual preliminary remarks he alluded to the grave responsibility resting upon them. Of the six counts in the indictment in the first, third, fourth and sixth counts you are to bring in a verdict of not guilty, but you are to consider the second and fifth counts.

The difference of these counts arises from the difference of the property of the horses. The second sets forth that the property was in Hunton and the fifth in Clapp. You cannot find them guilty on both counts, as they are inconsistent, and if you find a verdict of guilty on one count you must find them not guilty on the other.

He then reviewed the principles of evidence in criminal cases after which he cautioned them not to draw any inference or form any prejudice against the defendants because of their position to you on the stand.

A conspiracy as it applies to this case is a corrupt agreement entered into knowingly and by consented action to carry out an unlawful purpose.

The agreement is the offence and it is not important to know whether purpose was carried out successfully. If three went into an agreement at one time and later two more entered, those would be equally guilty with the first.

The charge occupied half an hour after which District Attorney Wier and Mr. Burke called the court's attention to circumstantial evidence and District Attorney Wier suggested that the four counts not contested be not pressed.

The jury retired at 4.08 o'clock and after having been out 20 minutes or more sent the indictment down to the court room to have the second and fifth counts marked off in the indictment in order that they could distinguish them. This caused a smile but the indictment was marked off nevertheless and sent back to them.

The court remained about the building for some time after the jury had retired.

The defendants, Clapp and Hunton, were not in court this morning and District Attorney Wier said that the sentences will not be imposed until next week. An extension of time has been granted for hearing the exceptions.

The horse case is practically closed, Hunton and Clapp are convicted, and Councilman George and Maguire and Supt. Cheney are acquitted of each and every charge brought against them. Only the sentence remains to be given and a most salutary lesson will have been taught to members of the city council and others who might conspire to defraud the city.

### SOME CRISP GOSSIP.

There are 1372 inmates at the Tewksbury almshouse, the largest number ever at the institution and it is expected that the number will be greatly increased.

The registration at the city farm yesterday was 452, an unusually large number. Supt. Pindar has painted and whitewashed the interior of the women's building, the work being done by inmates.

The Catholic Lyceum Glee club sings at the October devotions at St. Patrick's church every evening. They are accompanied on the organ by Stephen Kelty, and Rev. Bro. Clement is the director.

John Graham, who was formerly a member of St. Patrick's Cadet band is now the drummer in the Holy Cross college orchestra.

Mrs. M. E. Dudley of Centralville has presented to the city, library volumes of the Scientific American for the past 25 years. The books were collected by her late husband, and were highly prized by him. They will make a valuable addition to the city library.

### ALL BIDS REJECTED

**For Furnishing Meat to the City Institution.**

The overseers of the poor held a regular meeting at the city farm yesterday afternoon. Five persons applied for pardons and four were granted.

The report of the secretary was read and accepted.

Bids were then opened for supplying beef to the city institution during the year commencing next Monday.

Bids were received from the Public Market Packing company, Jewett & Swift and Fred A. Tuttle.

The bidding was very close but slightly in advance of last year's prices

It then occured to the overseers of the poor that at this time of the year, beef is high in its price and that it might be purchased at a lower figure.

Mr. Williams moved that all bids received be rejected. The motion passed.

It was then voted to call for bids for furnishing beef to the city farm for six months. All bids must be in by next Wednesday evening and will be according the old specifications.

The amount to be furnished is about 1600 lbs of beef each week and one or two rumps and loins. The board then adjourned to meet next Wednesday evening.


There is no use of talking, stop your talking and use "Suproshine." It cleans paint, windows, and silver ware and washes hands. Ask your grocer for it.


## BIG FLAG RAISING

### At Which Several Local Speakers are Heard.

THE "110 CLUB" CONDUCTS THE AFFAIRS.

**Great Enthusiasm Aroused by the Addresses.**

If John H. Sheehan conducts his canvass of the councilmanic nomination in ward five as successfully as he managed the grand democratic flag raising of the "110 club" last night, he'll be an easy winner.

The flag raising was marked by the greatest enthusiasm seen here during the campaign. The flag was swung to the breeze on Concord street from the residence of William Cogger, president of the non-partisan silver league and the prime mover in the event was John H. Sheehan.

The parade which preceded the exercises formed on Lakeview avenue and consisted of the American band of this city and the Harrington minstrels of Lawrence about 200 in number, grotesquely arrayed in long coats, white trousers and white tall hats. In a barouche rode President Sheehan of the 110 club, John H. Harrington, Rev. Park A. Bradford, W. A. Hogan, Esq., and Henry S. Courtney. Red fire was burned along the line and great enthusiasm manifested. The marchers proceeded through Bridge to Dutton, to Thorndike, to Middlesex, to Central, to Church, to Andover, to Concord.

The speakers were escorted to the second floor of Mr. Cogger's cosy residence where Mr. Sheehan, from the bay window welcomed the hundreds below in well chosen remarks, introducing as chairman of the evening William A. Hogan, Esq.

Mr. Hogan complimented the club for unfurling the stars and stripes to the breeze and for placing upon their banner the names of humanity's champions, "Bryan and Sewall." (Cheers.)

He referred to the fight in the west and gave it as his opinion that when the smoke of the political battle shall have cleared away, the voters will find William Jennings Bryan the man of the true democracy, president of the United States. (Cheers.)

John H. Harrington was the next speaker and he was received with tremendous applause.

He spoke in part as follows:

"Fellow citizens—We are engaged in a work not only democratic but patriotic.

"Our friends, the republicans, have been striving to make the Stars and Stripes their own property, as if that glorious banner was not the banner of all parties and all creeds.

"They have inscribed on that banner the names of men who represent trusts and not the masses.

"If ever that banner is in danger, it is the masses, and not the trusts, who will defend it. The men who would go to the front would be men like the members of the 110 club; men like the Minstrels from Lawrence." (Cheers).

"The republicans charge us with questioning the authority of the Supreme court.

"I claim that there is a higher power than the Supreme court—it is the people.

"The republican party was born on a criticism of a decision of the Supreme court. That decision was one which declared that a man was not a man if his skin was black. They went so far in their efforts to prove that the Supreme court was wrong, that they left 500,000 bodies on the battlefield.

"In this campaign we find the trusts all arrayed on the one side and labor on the other.

"I have but one thing to say in closing. Whenever a question arises requiring a decision by your ballots, and you find the trusts and monopolies favoring one side vote the other way."

The other speakers were Rev. Park A. Bradford, Henry S. Courtney, Hon. John Welch and Fisher H. Pearson and all made eloquent speeches.

After the exercises the speakers, torchlight parade and guests adjourned to the High street engine house where refreshments were served.

### THEATRICAL NEWS.

**Savoy Theatre.**

Photographs and autographs are always interesting to ladies, therefore, W. T. Freeman has taken a set of six fine photos (cabinet size) of Kendal Weston, which will be distributed with Mr. Weston's autograph to every lady purchasing a seat upon the lower floor tomorrow afternoon, which marks the opening of a series of twelve matinees, when different member of the company will present their photographs. Performances tonight and tomorrow night.


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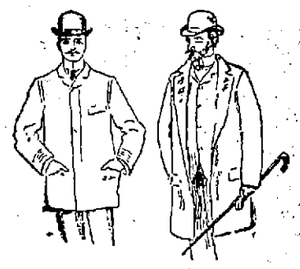

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### DEATHS.

JEFFRAY—Harriet Jeffray, aged 72 years, died yesterday at her home in West Chelmsford. She leaves a husband, four daughters and five sons. Funeral which will be private, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SMITH—Freeman J. Smith died yesterday at his home, 63 Woodward avenue.

COLLINS—Mary Collins, aged 55 years, died yesterday at her home, 44 Common street. She was an esteemed resident of Ward two, and was well known among the old residents. She leaves a family. Funeral from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

MOONEY—Frank M. Mooney, aged 5 years, son of Michael and Margaret Mooney, died this morning at their home 240 High street.

**Hear the Hon. George Fred Williams, C. F. Callahan and Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan at Huntington hall Saturday night.**

### CAMPAIGN NOTES.

The republican leaders all over the country but especially the gold men in New York are almost panic stricken by the reception tendered Bryan in Chicago. They are practically convinced that they are beaten and their prediction of McKinley's election is but an effort to keep up their courage and to prevent a general stampede for Bryan. Betting is two to one on Bryan.

There will be a meeting of prominent democrats in Jackson hall Sunday afternoon at 2.30 to make arrangements for getting out the voters on election day.

Mr. Creelman, the gold writer for the New York World, has written his paper that even though it cost him his position he must write down the situation as he finds it in Chicago and in the west, and that in his judgment indicates Bryan's triumphant election.

In relation to the hissing of Mr. Bradford as reported in the Citizen, the facts are these: Rev. Mr. Bradford said that England would have to bow to the American flag again as she had done before. Some Englishmen in the crowd yelled, "never" and the crowd hissed the Englishmen and not the speaker.


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Stand by the people in voting "no" on the biennial election resolve next Tuesday.

Laboring men should read what Mr. Bryan says of the effect of free silver on wages and cost of living. It is printed on the first page.

Councilman Hunton and Mr. Clapp, the leaders in the horse trade, have been convicted, and the general opinion is that the verdict is a just one, considering the evidence.

The students of Chicago had to emulate those of New Haven, and the hoodlums of Kentucky in attempting to interfere with the freedom of speech by throwing eggs at the Bryan parade.

Bishop Worthington of Omaha, Nebraska, has gained considerable notoriety, which was probably what he was seeking by making the statement that "we have followed our educational system entirely too far," and another statement that it is useless to send farmers' sons to college,as they usually are incapable of receiving a good education.

The Mail affects to have regard for truth but nobody would discover that fact from the statements made in its editorial columns during this campaign. It charges the Sun with gigantic falsehood in saying that the gold men and the trusts helped to keep up the price of wheat. They have a corner on wheat and are making the best of it. They will let up after election. The high price of wheat is of little benefit to the farmer as he had sold his wheat before the rise came. As usual the trusts are the gainers.

There is no greater hypocrite in public life today than Mark Hanna. His great aim is to get control of the U. S. government by getting Mr. Kinley, on whom he holds a bottom mortgage, elected to the White house. If he should accomplish that, he will endeavor as he has already stated to take the tariff question out of politics and put it in the hands of a commission made up of manufacturers. He would also take the monetary question out of politics by putting it in the hands of a commission made up of republican bankers, or millionaires and money kings. He would take advantage of his eminent position as silent director of the U. S. government. Through his figurehead, McKinley, he would secure the enactment of other measures. For this and other reasons unnecessary to mention, the people should vote against Mr. Hanna, his candidate and his party. As compared with Mr. Bryan's devotion to principle and his desire for such reforms as will benefit the people, Hanna's appeal on the ground of patriotism and honor will appear ridiculous.

TO BE REMEMBERED ON ELECTION DAY.

There is reason to believe that from the complexity of the ballot on election day there will be great confusion, and very many blank votes. There will be as many as seven state and national tickets to select from, and this task alone will be very perplexing. It will take the average voter probably from fifteen minutes to half an hour to perform this work correctly. The difficulty of perusing all the ballots in order to find the one preferred, will require time and care. No hurried or causual glance at the ballot will suffice, because even those who may be considered well posted on such matters, are liable to make mistakes. But this is not all. There are two important questions to be passed upon by the voters, namely, the biennial election resolve, and the revision of the city charter. To the voters of Lowell the city charter revision is very important,and to the voters of the entire state the matter of biennial elections is one that cannot be passed over slightly. Both are submitted to the people for approval or disapproval. The revision of the city charter affects the business methods of our city government, and provides for many important improvements.

The chief provisions of the measure will increase the mayor's powers, provide for purchasing supplies through an agent, and for separating the executive and judicial functions of the city council, so that councilmen will no longer have the expenditure of money. If the biennial resolve be carried, it will result in having state elections but once every two years, which would be very injurious to the interests of the common people. Both these measures should be carefully considered. Every voter should vote in favor of the charter revision and against the biennial resolve.

# THE POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

## A POSTAL CARD CANVASS.

### Heavy Percentage of Voters Who Voted For Harrison, but Who Now Support Bryan.

The Chicago Record's postal card canvass of the vote of the close western states when subjected to rational analysis indicates that Bryan will carry them all. The conclusions reached by the New York World and other goldbug papers are so strikingly contrary to the facts that they will not deceive a single reader who gives the subject an instant's thought.

As only a small fraction of the voters have sent in replies, the fact that of these more have come from McKinley than from Bryan men points to nothing. The Bryan men were advised by Chairman Jones to refrain from voting, and, had they not been, the common people—workingmen and employees largely—do not care to indicate their intentions even where there is the remotest possibility of the fact coming to the knowledge of the unscrupulous money power. Taking the per cent of those who voted the Republican ticket in 1892, but who will now vote for Bryan, as indicated by this postal card canvass, and the per cent of those who voted the Democratic ticket in 1892 and now intend to vote for McKinley, and assuming that the same ratio exists in the entire vote, it indicates a victory for Bryan in all the states canvassed, as follows: Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, South Dakota, North Dakota, Michigan, Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Kentucky, Kansas.

**Mr. Bryan's vote in New York city will be much increased by the opposition of the New York Sun. That paper's villification and billingsgate without a single attempt at the use of reason or logic has made thousands of votes for the Democratic candidate in that city.**

### Why the Plain People Will Vote For Bryan.

Because he is against the trusts and monopolies and they are against him.

Because all the enemies of the common people and of their interests are against him.

Because he is not mortgaged.

Because he is thoroughly honest.

Because the plutocrats hate him.

Because he is in favor of an income tax.

Because he is in favor of American independence in the matter of free coinage as well as in everything else.

Because he is opposed to government by injunction.

Because he will carry out the platform upon which he will be elected.

Because he believes in the widest possible diffusion of moderate welfare for the whole people.

Because he is opposed to laws to make the rich richer and the poor poorer.

Because his whole public and private career is without a stain or a flaw.

Because there has been too much legislation for the somebodies in the past and it is time to legislate a little for everybody.

Because those politicians like Tom Reed and Dave Hill, who never earned a dollar in their lives except by holding public office, are against him.

Because if he be not elected this time the people may not have another chance at self government, but will be living under the despotism of wealth.

**If gold is not scarce, if there is enough gold with which to do the business of the world, why is it that every time the comparatively small sum of $500,000 or $1,000,000 of it comes into or goes out of the country the newspapers all make a big fuss about it?**

## DR. McCANN'S DEATH.

### Was Not a Case of Suicide But Accidental Poisoning By Morphine.

New York, Oct. 30.—At the residence of Dr. Charles P. McCann, who died in a Boston hotel, it is said that the supposition that Dr. McCann had committed suicide was nonsensical. Dr. McCann has been a sufferer from nervousness and insomnia. To relieve his suffering, it is stated, he was in the habit of taking morphine, and his family and friends are of the opinion that he probably took an overdose by mistake.

### Liabilities Run High.

Laconia, N. H., Oct. 30.—The creditors of the Laconia Car company met yesterday to consider the financial standing of the company. Boston banking institutions were represented by attorneys, and nearly all the leading individual creditors were present. President Putnam, in his statement of financial affairs, showed the total resources to be $407,451.31; total liabilities, $617,614.21; excess of liabilities over resources, $210,-162.90. President Putnam said the car works could offer no compromise at this meeting, but suggested that a committee of creditors investigate and try to arrange settlement, in order to prevent insolvency proceedings. After a long discussion, a committee was chosen.

### Wreck, Fire and Loss of Life.

Wapakoneta, O., Oct. 30.—A through fast freight train ran into three loaded oil car tanks, which were left on a main track, here last night. The freight train was set on fire, destroying it and about 12 loaded cars. The engineer, fireman and brakeman cannot be found, and are supposed to be in the ruins. The fire occurred near the Manhattan Oil company's pump station, to which the flames spread. It is a total loss.

### Overwork and Despondency.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 30.—Stephen S. Gregory, aged 21, a fellow in civil engineering at Cornell university, who entered, this fall, from the University of Texas, committed suicide last night, by taking potassium cyanide. His home was in California until recently. The deed was due to despondency, brought on by worry and overwork.

### About That Treaty.

London, Oct. 30.—The Berlin correspondent of The Daily News says he is able to confirm the statement made by the Hamburger Nachrichten that a written neutrality treaty between Russia and Germany did exist from 1884 to 1890.

### The Czar Wavers.

London, Oct. 30.—The Times' correspondent at Berlin says: "I hear from St. Petersburg that the czar has decided to postpone the currency reform, which it was proposed to submit to the state council this autumn."

### De Reszke Marries.

Paris, Oct. 30.—The civil marriage of Jean De Reszke, the operatic tenor, and Nesle, Comtesse De Nailly, occurred yesterday. It was very quiet, the few guests including Edouard De Reszke, brother of the groom.

### China Making Progress.

Berlin, Oct. 30.—The Emperor of China has ordered Li Hung Chang to reside permanently at Pekin, as his presence and advice are indispensable. His appointment (as minister of foreign affairs) indicates that the Tsung-li-yamen will be completely reorganized, on the European model. Prince Ching, the Conservative, who opposed this reform and the extension of the Siberian railway, has resigned.

### Another Crisis Imminent.

Paris, Oct. 30.—The election of the Progressist, M. Esambert, as vice president of the chamber, together with the fact that the government asked that M. Jaures' interpellation with reference to the Carmaux labor troubles should be postponed until Tuesday, is regarded in some quarters as an indication that the cabinet's stability is threatened by the Radicals. Tuesday's debate is expected to be critical.

NERVOUS Troubles are due to impoverished blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier and NERVE TONIC.

## THE TURKISH QUESTION.

### Bids Fair to Be Reopened to the Dismay of the Sultan.

London, Oct. 30.—The Rome correspondent of The Chronicle is assured that, on his return to St. Petersburg, the czar will propose a conference of the powers, to discuss the Turkish problem.

A Constantinople dispatch to the same paper says that Nazim Pasha, minister of police, is conspiring with Bartholomeos, the Armenian patriarch, Slocum Teneris, and the palace gang, to provoke fresh outbreaks, as an excuse for a general massacre of Armenians, whose terror is painful to see.

The Morning Post has a dispatch from Constantinople, which says that it is reported that the police have discovered a large store of explosives in the Taskir quarter, including 25 kilograms of dynamite, a quantity of other explosives and dynamite bombs. There have been 40 arrests in connection with the discovery including the chief of an important revolutionary committee.

The Daily News states that it hears that the gravest anxiety exists at Constantinople, and that the deposition of the sultan is seriously discussed. The Sheik-ul-Islam, says The Daily News, remains at the Yildiz palace, nominally as the sultan's guest, but really as a prisoner. The ambassadors have telegraphed for instructions, in view of the events, which are regarded imminent.

A dispatch to The Daily Telegraph from Constantinople says: Russia's attitude has completely changed, and the concert of the powers is now really and effectually causing the sultan uneasiness.

### Fate Worse Than Death.

Habana, Oct. 30.—Montalvo, an oculist, and a member of the local central autonomist committee; a painter, named Juan Onaghten; Antonio Escobar, the editor of La Discussion, and 195 members of a secret association were today sent to the island of Fernando Po, off the west coast of Africa, one of the penal settlements of Spain. La Discussion was recently suppressed by the government for printing a leading editorial, of which Escobar was the author, commenting upon the suggestion of the joint intervention of the United States and Mexico, with the view of settling the Cuban question.

### Grand Jury Acts In Fuller Case.

Boston, Oct. 30.—The grand jury came into the United States circuit court yesterday with its indictments in various cases, the principal of which was the Herbert Fuller case. Thomas A. Bram, who is charged with the murder of Captain Nash, Mrs. Nash and the mate, Blomberg, was indicted, but, owing to the absence of Judge Colt, the date on which he will be allowed to plead has not been announced, but it will probably be some day next week.

### Favorite Knocked Out.

Buffalo, Oct. 30.—At the Empire Athletic club, last night, Stanton Abbott of England and Matt Matthews of New York were down for 15 rounds, but in the seventh Abbott went down before a stiff left hander. He came up before the gong sounded 10, but got another in the face, and went on his back, where he stayed. Abbott was the favorite in the betting.

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# A GAS EXPLOSION

## Which Killed at Least Six Persons.

### CAUSE OF THE EXPLOSION IS UNKNOWN.

### The Men Wore Safety Lamps at Work.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 30.—A terrible explosion of gas occurred in No. 3 mine of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal company, in South Wilkesbarre, between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Six men are known to be dead and two injured. It is not known how many men were in the mine at the time, but 12 are reported missing, and it is believed all of these have perished. The dead, who have been brought to the surface, are: William R. Jones, fire boss, married, with a family; John Joseph, assistant mine foreman, wife and five children; Thomas Owens, miner, married, and family; William Lacey, rock miner, married, and family; James Herron, laborer, married, and family; Joseph Worth, fire-boss, married, and family.

The cause of the explosion will, possibly never be known. The mine was idle yesterday. Usually there are from 400 to 500 men employed in the mine. Had they all been at work when the explosion occurred, the loss of life would have been fearful. The only men in the mine yesterday afternoon were the company hands and fire bosses, who were at work in the rock tunnel, changing the air course. The place was very gaseous, and the men worked with safety lamps. It is believed the gas was ignited by a blast.

## THE KAISER MURDER.

### Husband Is Now Suspected of Having Committed the Deed.

Norristown, Pa., Oct. 30.—Charles O. Kaiser has been placed under arrest, charged with the murder of his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Kaiser were supposed to have been waylaid by highwaymen Wednesday evening. Mrs. Kaiser was shot dead, and Kaiser received a wound in his arm. Suspicion pointed to Kaiser. Detectives made a search yesterday, and found the supposed stolen watch and pocketbook hidden under a stone, near where the robbery was supposed to have been committed. A 32-caliber revolver, with two chambers empty, was found about 60 yards away. Kaiser and his wife are said to have quarreled only a short time before they took the fatal drive. About two weeks ago Kaiser had his wife's life insured for $3000.

## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Liberal candidates for the Hungarian chamber of deputies are winning.

Oscar D. Cheney, a leading physician at Haverhill, Mass., aged 55, is dead.

Albert E. Bradford, instructor of music in the Everett (Mass.) schools, is dead.

American wool shippers are advised to send their wool to England in better condition.

Daniel McCullen, aged 45, of Wayland, Mass., was struck by a shifting engine and instantly killed at Boston.

A large stock barn, belonging to ex-Lieutenant Governor Wardwell, was burned at Bristol, R. I. Loss, $10,000.

George Grenier, aged 17, was thrown from a team at Lewiston, Me., and received injuries which resulted in his death.

Charles O. Kaiser, who said his wife was killed by highway robbers at Norristown, Pa., has been arrested for her murder.

Frank D. Bunce, aged 43, manager of the Lyceum theater, New York, died suddenly in the office of the theater from heart disease.

E. W. Nellis, a draughtsman, of Goshen, N. Y., was found dead in his bed, with a bullet hole in his head and a pistol in his hand.

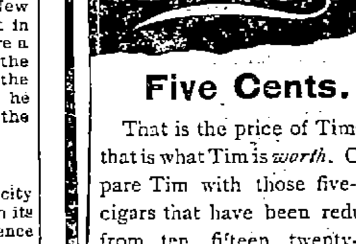
A new shoe factory will be opened at Belfast, Me., by Legro & Spaulding. Only local people will be employed and taught the business.

John B. S. Brazeau, editor of the La Jean Baptiste, a French paper, of Pawtucket, R. I., is charged with sending illegal matter through the mails.

The Madrid Imparcial has opened a subscription in aid of Spanish soldiers wounded in Cuba. The queen regent has contributed 10,000 pesetas to the fund.

The Massachusetts supreme court ordered that the award of $125,430 be paid by the town of West Springfield, for the property of the West Springfield Aqueduct company.

The Massachusetts supreme court dismissed the petition for writ of prohibition against Judge Fuller of the Bristol insolvency court and C. F. Worthen, assignee of the estate of Captain Henry C. Hathaway of New Bedford.



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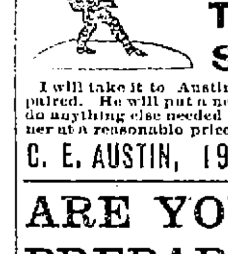

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### "OLD TROOP" HILL ENTERED A STRONG PROTEST.

**When Capt. Thompson Introduced Politics Into 33d Reunion. Samuel Canning Says He Will Not Be Coerced Into Voting For McKinley—The Generals' Party Rapped Hard—"Our Country Is Not In Danger," Says Comrade.**

No more pleasant gathering could have been desired than the thirteenth annual reunion of the 33rd Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry in Memorial hall yesterday.

The old comrades were making merry rehearsing old stories, and indulging in a general good time till one of their number Capt. J. P. Thompson, precipitated a lively discussion by introducing politics into the gathering.

Capt. J. P. Thompson, who has been a strong Harrison and McKinley man, called attention in a short address to the effect that Pres. Grant, Hayes, Garfield and Harrison had been in command of armies in which the 33rd Massachusetts regiment served, and it seemed to him that another comrade, Maj. McKinley was to be elected president.

Capt. Thompson then requested comrades who favored Maj. McKinley's election to say "aye." There was a generous response to the request, and when Capt. Thompson called for the "nays" Capt. J. E. Hill, president of the association, said "no."

"Old Troop" Hill was on his mettle in an instant and said in a reunion of comrades he did not think a matter in which they might politically differ should be brought up.

Capt. Thompson said it was only as comrades that he desired to have the expression, not as members of any political party.

Samuel Canning of Boston spoke on the subject as follows: "I also object to the union generals travelling in the west as a party instructing war veterans how to vote. I am going to vote for Maj. McKinley, but I object to anyone being coerced or instructed in the manner I have mentioned. I vote as I please and I believe in allowing other veterans to do so. Our country is not in danger, no matter who is elected president next Tuesday."

Capt. Thompson said anyone who shouldered a musket in the late war will not be coerced into voting for anyone.

### THE CATHOLIC LYCEUM

**Elected Its First Officers Last Evening.**

The first election of officers in the Catholic Lyceum occurred last evening and was very close and exciting, the successful candidates for the important offices winning by only one vote.

The officers chosen are: President, Michael J. Donohue; vice president, Jas. T. O'Hearn; spiritual director, Rev. Richard S. Burke; recording secretary, John J. Murphy; financial secretary, Jas. Brown; treasurer, John P. Curley; board of trustees, John J. Lonergan, Daniel S. O'Brien, Edward J. O'Donnell, John Mahoney and Jos. J. Hanlon.

Rev. Fr. Burke announced that he will present a gold medal to the member who brings in the most new members up to March 17.

The building committee reported that while they could not report finally, they were able to say that a lot had been selected and is now being considered by the committee who are being advised by Rev. Michael O'Brien, and the spiritual director, Rev. Fr. Burke.

The installation of officers will occur at the next meeting, which will be held next Thursday evening.

### GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT

**In the New St. Jean Baptiste Church—Other Events Coming.**

A delightful French soiree was held in the new St. Jean Baptiste church last evening for the purpose of disposing of the miniature statues of Rev. Fr. Garin.

Rev. Fr. Forget, O. M. I., had the affair in charge, hence its great success. The Olympian orchestra furnished music and 280 of the statuettes were disposed of at prices ranging from $2 to $4.

On next Wednesday night a grand entertainment for the business men and clerks in the leading stores will be given while on Thursday evening an entertainment and fair will be held.

### BOWLING NEWS.

At the Highland club last night, Capt. Dorr's team defeated Capt. Abel's bowlers 2321 to 2256.

Team Eight of the Vesper club defeated Team Nine 2230 to 2148.

Les Miserables went to Lexington last night and defeated the Old Belfry club 2456 to 2402.

**He Would be Elected.**

If there was a vote taken in this city to see who is the most popular meat and provision dealer, it would probably be overwhelmingly in favor of S. P. Pike, the proprietor of the Banner market, and all on account of the great bargains the people have been getting at his store since the big storm sale.

The special sale today and tomorrow will be on chickens. Think of it, only ten cents a pound; and hind quarter of lamb ten cents a pound; and every other thing in the market in the same proportion. Call at the Banner market and order your Sunday dinner. Cor. Central and Prescott streets, S. P. Pike, proprietor.

**French Rally.**

The French republicans held a rally in Huntington hall last evening, and previous to the meeting the Napoleon Guards marched to the hall, acting as escort for the speakers.

The meeting was addressed by George W. Poore, Aime Gauthier, F. P. Rivet, Lawyer Monette and Alfred Bonneau.

Mr. Edward Everett Adams opened his 14th season as a teacher of music in Lowell by a musicale and reception at his studio in Odd Fellows' temple last night.

The Burkes held a pleasant social in their hall last evening, and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Reform club held a grand box party in Columbia hall.

Mr. Charles O'Connor, the leading artist of the Boston Crane company, is working in the Sun building. He is an eminent portrait artist.

Meyers, Myer & Hartman of New York, sold their entire stock of Collins' mills Kersey overcoats to the Merrimack Clothing company today. Will be on sale Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

# AWFUL CYCLONE

## Sweeps Oklahoma and Portions of Mississippi.

### DESOLATION MARKS ITS WINDING PATH.

**Many Persons Killed and Houses Demolished.**

New Orleans, Oct. 30.—About 4:30 yesterday afternoon, a cyclone struck this city on the river front, just above Peniston street, and swept over a distance of about 1½ miles, or 30 blocks, from Peniston street to Rober street, the track of the storm being about 1500 feet wide, from the river to Annunciation street. The first building damaged was the Independence oil mill, situated at the head of Peniston street. It was unroofed, and the building and contents damaged to the amount of $6000. Hundreds of buildings in the track of the storm were damaged, many being partially unroofed and chimneys prostrated, trees uprooted and fences blown down. The storm-swept section of the city was in darkness last night, owing to the prostration of electric light wires. At first a number of lives were reported lost, but so far these reports have not been verified. The property loss is estimated at $100,000.

At 12 o'clock, a terrific wind and rain storm reached Lake St. Joseph. Telegraph wires were torn down, and a most unsatisfactory report reaches here from the lower part of Tensas parish, where the tornado originated. An immense brick gin was practically destroyed. The course of the storm was from southwest to northeast, striking Bruen lake at Locust Land, tearing down and destroying the public bridge over Choctaw bayou. Twelve cabins on Locust Land were completely demolished, and one colored woman was instantly killed and several were blown into the lake. The next place reached by the unwelcome visitor was Johnson's Bend, on Lake St. Joseph, where the scene is one of desolation. A ginhouse and three barns, containing corn, were destroyed. Six cabins were blown to pieces. The tenants living in the houses had their clothing and household effects blown away. The public road on Lake St. Joseph front is covered with fragments of houses, furniture, clothing, cotton, corn and household effects. There were two deaths of colored men from lightning, and two colored women and a baby were drowned in Lake Bruen, where they were carried by the fury of the elements.

**In Mississippi.**

Vicksburg, Miss., Oct. 30.—Tensas parish was frightfully afflicted by a tornado yesterday. Six negroes were killed, and there was great destruction of buildings on various plantations. Seven houses were destroyed in the town of St. Joseph. The parish was generally visited, and full details are not obtainable at present.

A terrific cyclone passed through the eastern part of Lafayette county at 4 o'clock, demolishing farmhouses and uprooting trees of all sizes. W. V. Sullivan, Democratic candidate for congress, had been speaking at Tula, and was returning to Oxford, expecting to speak at Abbeville last night. He and T. J. Harkins were caught in the storm's path, the wind sweeping down upon them without warning. They were driving a double team buggy. The wind lifted the vehicle, horses and all, and carried them 200 yards. The buggy was completely demolished by falling timber, but neither men nor horses were seriously hurt. The storm passed through the outskirts of the town of Delay, and demolished several houses. The extent of the damage cannot be given, but no deaths have, as yet, been reported. Not a tree was left standing in the cyclone's path.

The colored Baptist church at Coffeyville, which was used as a schoolhouse, was blown down upon the teachers and 15 pupils. Six of the children were considerably bruised, one having a limb broken.

**Oklahoma Gets It.**

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 30.—A cyclone swept over a stretch of country, about 20 miles east of here, devastating a district several miles long, and probably 100 yards wide. The Mitchell postoffice and store were lifted bodily into the air, carried 100 yards, and dashed to the earth. The building was smashed into splinters, and Postmaster M. T. Mullin and wife, who lived in the building, were killed. Two sticks were driven through Mullin's skull, but there was not a scratch on the body of his wife. The farmhouse of Abner Jones was also wrecked, and many smaller buildings were destroyed, trees uprooted and crops ruined. Rumors are current that the same storm did frightful damage in Payne county, and that several persons were killed there, but no particulars are obtainable. There was a tremendous fall of rain here, and considerable damage was done by washouts and the carrying off of crops.

**Conclave of Knights Templar.**

Boston, Oct. 30.—The 90th annual conclave of the grand commandery of Knights Templar and appendant orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island was held here yesterday. Grand Recorder Rowell's report showed a satisfactory condition of affairs throughout the jurisdiction. There are 45 subordinate commanderies. The membership in the jurisdiction Sept. 30, 1896, was 11,789, a net gain of 673 for the year. The average membership of the subordinate commanderies in this jurisdiction is the largest of any jurisdiction in the United States. The report of Grand Treasurer Upham showed an improved condition of the finances. Grand Commander Richards' address showed that the relations between the commanderies are cordial. The application for a new commandery at Gardner was granted. The petitioners for a new commandery at Marlboro were given leave to withdraw.

**Preparing For Centennial.**

Albany, Oct. 30.—The governor yesterday appointed a commission of four to arrange for a suitable commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the establishment of Albany as the capital and legislative seat of the state. The legislature appropriated $2500, and authorized the city of Albany to expend $5000 for the purpose.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

# THEIR FISHERIES FAILED

## BRING DISTRESS TO NATIVES OF LABRADOR.

**Interesting Letter Upon Situation From Dr. Grenfell.**

St. John's, N. F., Oct. 30.—The Labrador coast, for about 500 miles, is inhabited by 3000 resident settlers, living in small fishing villages along the seashore. The conditions of existence, never very favorable, are rendered appalling this year, owing to the failure of the cod fishery. Dr. Grenfell, superintendent of the deep sea mission, reports that starvation faces hundreds. The fishery failure is general, and settlers are unable to provide food for the winter. The government is trying to help the distressed. Here are a few extracts from Dr. Grenfell's letter:

"At Square Island we found an anxious crowd awaiting us. Not a family had enough to prevent starvation this winter, and no means of getting food. We have arranged to supply 25 barrels of flour, 10 sacks of buscuit, a puncheon of molasses and a chest of tea, in return for which the people will saw wood, which we hope to sell next summer. An enormous boon is conferred upon these settlements, even by such small assistance as this. We took away a family having no means. We also left some clothing. Quilts and counterpanes are simply invaluable. Most of the houses have an utterly inadequate supply of bed clothing.

"Arriving at Boulter's rock, we soon had a crowded deck full of people. Here, also, they were facing starvation. Two Newfoundland traders came aboard, asking what could possibly be done for the people. No government relief has been promised to the settlement. Many families are already existing on flour alone, having neither molasses nor tea. We gave each family a bundle of clothing, and promised to make representation of their need of food to the proper authorities. But it will go very hard with many families here during the winter.

"Seal Island's people are also exceedingly badly provided for the winter. How they are to contrive to live without government assistance, I don't know.

On Spotted Islands there is only one family in comfortable circumstances. The remainder live from hand to mouth. Every single family sent a representative abroad, seeking relief and clothing.

"At Packs' Harbor, we were told that the children in one family in a neighboring island were running about, stark naked, all summer, and had been found in that condition by an Anglican missionary. We intend providing clothes, to prevent a recurrence of this. The farther north we went, the worse things became, for even with good fisheries, the only thing available by the settlers is a miserable pittance at best. In many places the settlers have no traps to catch fish during the winter, and are too poor to buy traps.

**Peruvians Encroaching Upon Neighbors.**

Lima, Oct. 30.—Telegrams received here from Argentina report that the Bolivian authorities have made an invasion of the towns of Puntas, in the province of Salta, and San Antonio Cobres, in the province of Jujuy, near the frontier, in the extreme northwestern portion of Argentina, and have expelled the citizens of Argentina from the towns.

**Li Was On Business.**

Berlin, Oct. 30.—Li Hung Chang has summoned to Pekin Mr. Detring, director of Chinese customs, who was granted two years' leave of absence, in order to accompany Li on his travels. Mr. Detring starts in a few days. This recall is held to show that Li Hung Chang's tour will have practical results.

**Latest Concerning Venezuela.**

London, Oct. 30.—The Chronicle says that there is good reason to believe that a tribunal, similar to the Berhing sea commission, with Sir Richard Webster, the attorney general, representing England, will be appointed to solve the Venezuelan boundary affair.

# FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

## FORGED THE SEAL

### Of a New York Court and Used It

**FOR ISSUING NATURALIZATION PAPERS THERE.**

**Many Were Registered as Legal Voters.**

By Associated Press to the Sun.

New York, Oct. 29.—The discovery made today in the street cleaning department indicates that hundreds of Italians here have fraudulently naturalized.

They have registered and unless legal steps are taken will probably vote Tuesday. They obtained naturalization papers stamped with a forged seal of the Superior court from a man who has since returned to Italy taking with him ten dollars from each man.

### FIREMAN INJURED

**In Hurrying to a Fire Early This Morning.**

At 5 o'clock this morning Chief Hosmer was notified that a fire had started in a dwelling out at Riverside, and that surrounding property was in danger.

He sent out steamer one, hose one and eleven, and truck one, and then somebody went to work and pulled in an alarm from box 61 calling out the entire department.

When the apparatus arrived it was sent back to the city, as the cottage was nearly totally destroyed and there was no hope of saving it. Chief Hosmer could not learn who owned the house.

While responding to the alarm Samuel Page, driver of the Pawtucketville hose carriage, met with a painful accident. He jumped out of bed and in making a leap for the pole in the engine house, he tripped and fell to the floor below. He received a bad gash on the forehead and his back was injured. Dr. Gage was called to attend him.

### BOXING CHALLENGE

**On a Wager of $2500 with an Equal Side Bet.**

By Associated Press to the Sun.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 29—George Green, welterweight champion of California, has received from the National Sporting club, London, an offer for a match with Dick Burge, the English boxer, 20 rounds. If Burge accepts, Green will meet him in March for an added side bet of $2,500.

**From the Brink of Death.**

Liverpool, Oct. 30.—The British steamer Architect, Captain Whitborn, from Galveston, on Oct. 2, for this port, arrived here yesterday and landed the crew of the Italian bark Lorenzino, Captain Gambino, from Miramichi and Chatham, N. B., on Sept. 21, for this port, which was abandoned in a waterlogged condition. Her crew, in the ship's boats, buffeted the waves for several days without food, and endured great hardships from exposure, until rescued by the Architect.

**For a Two Months' Visit.**

Habana, Oct. 30.—In announcing that he would leave for New York tomorrow, Consul General Lee said that he will return, with his family, to Habana, in about two months. He said he was going to the United States for a conference with President Cleveland on affairs in Cuba, and that he had postponed his voyage from a previous date on account of the military operations going forward in Pinar del Dio.


# WARNING TO THE PEOPLE.

## How Fall Weather Affects the Vital Organs.

### Without Constant Care Health is Impossible.

You catch cold.

Why?

Because your system lacks nourishment.

It is not strong enough to resist the changing weather.

The digestion is poor.

The bowels are clogged.

The blood flows sluggishly through the veins.

The action of the vital organs is feeble.

The system is unhealthy,

And you catch cold.

That is why a cold is called a filth disease.

Perfect health means perfect cleanliness, especially inside.

Colds can be prevented by keeping the stomach right.

The digestion right.

The blood right.

The health right.

Puritana will do this and more. It has a healing and purifying effect on the whole mucous track. The stomach and bowels are corrected and given new vigor by Puritana.

The liver and kidneys are stirred up to do their work.

These organs are made to work right.

When they work right they purify the blood.

The dyspeptic is subject to colds.

The man with a strong stomach is not hurt unless a house falls on him.

What do colds do?

The answers are many.

They introduce consumption.

Also pneumonia.

And death in many forms.

At this time of year they are especially liable to affect the stomach and bowels.

That's strange.

They start from poor digestion.

They make the digestion worse.

Cramps come.

And strange stomach disorders.

All are dangerous.

All can be avoided.

Common sense shows how.

Puritana is nature's remedy for the stomach.

So Puritana renews, through the stomach, the whole system.

Another word about Puritana.

It is a vegetable mixture.

The prize formula of Professor Dixi Crosby of Dartmouth medical college. It contains no poisons, no opiates, no narcotics.

No opium, for instance.

A child can be trusted to use it. It can be safely put in general use.

Is it still effective?

Ask the people.

Its history is marked by success after success.

### A DEALER IN BEEF.

**W. H. Bezanson Has Learned by Experience.**

The manager of the Chicago Beef company, W. H. Bezanson, who is located at 88 Blackstone street, Boston, is one of the best known men in the market district. He says:

"My wife has for many years been a very sick woman, suffering from numerous troubles of the stomach. She lost her appetite entirely, had no energy, was so weak and used up as to be totally unfit for exertion of any kind. She was at all times so easily excited that this led to a species of trembling, which promised serious results. I tried doctors without end, but to no effect, and we were both utterly discouraged. Some time last spring I bought my first bottle of Puritana, and my wife used it. A change was noticeable almost from the first using of Puritana, and it alone has put her on her feet again. Puritana has done what everything else failed to do, and I regard my wife's cure as very remarkable."

(Signed) W. H. BEZANSON.

Mr. Bezanson is not more enthusiastic than George F. Dunning of Faneuil market, whose life was saved by Puritana. Every patient tells a story of success and cure. Puritana is the prize formula of Dr. Dixi Crosby of Dartmouth college. It makes the stomach right. That's why it makes the health right.



# GREAT OVERCOAT SALE

## 1,000 CELEBRATED CAMPBELL KERSEY OVERCOATS

### STRICTLY ALL-WOOL

(Colors Black and Blue.)

# $7.00 Each

Plain and fancy linings. Worth $5.00 more than any Overcoat ever sold in Lowell at $7.50, $8.00 or $10.00.

**See the Campbell Kerseys**
**See Samples in Window**

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Central and Warren Streets, Lowell.

## C. B. Coburn & Co.

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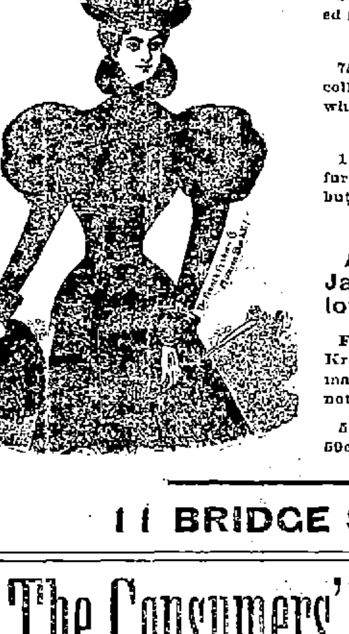
### CAPES and JACKETS Came Direct From NEW YORK



MANUFACTURES YESTERDAY

50 Black and Blue Jackets heavily braided fine goods for only **$6.49.**

75 Black and Blue Jackets, new velvet collar lined through, cannot be equalled nowhere for $10.00 our price **$7.50.**

1 lot of Black, Double Capes, full sweep for trimmed and ornamented with braid and buttons only **$4.98.**

An extensive line of sample Jackets and Capes at very low prices.

Fur Collarettes in Martin, Alaska seal and Krimmer Electric seal, etc., at prices to make you wonder—but they are the seal, not imitation.

50 dozen wrappers, flannellettes, etc., for 50c., 75c., 98c., $1.25.

11 BRIDGE STREET.

# The Consumers' Brewing Co.'s EXPORT BEER

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IF YOU WANT A CASE Of the Leading Brands of LAGER, JONES' ALE, Or PORTER
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### WANT COLUMN.

LOST—A coon kitten, black, bushy tail, small white star on breast. Finder will receive reward by returning to 43 Nesmith street.

SECURE EMPLOYMENT — Learn dress cutting and work for us. Positions given to competent pupils. Room 53, Central block.

TENEMENT TO LET—Small lower tenement at No. 11 James street. Inquire of Mrs. A. B. Chalifoux, with J. L. Chalifoux, Central street.

FOUND—A ladies' pocketbook containing money. Owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply at Waverly house.

WANTED.—Thousands of mechanics of all kinds to use "Saproshine" for cleaning their soiled and coloured hands. Ask grocers for it.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—500 shares stock in active company for sale at $4 per share, must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1804, Boston.

WANTED—Furniture, carriages to store; at 183 Chelmsford street.

FOR SALE—In Centralville new cottage house, 4200 feet of land. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter; experienced; mercantile or legal work; can give good recommendation; also good references. Address B, Sun office, Lowell, Mass.

FOR SALE—Near Stevens street, new two story house, 5000 feet of land. This is a bargain. Price $2000. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOR SALE.—In Belvidere, good cottage house of seven rooms, near mills, good lot of land. Price $1350. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—Your child to have Rosy Cheeks, Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Athan Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c., prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

FOR SALE.—In N. H., large farm of 100 acres. Large house, two good barns, lots of fruit, good sugar orchard, lots of wood and timber. If you want a farm call and see. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $18 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelop, Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new, for a small sum.

## MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.

New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 76 houses have been built in the last 8 months, and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay, choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 12 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.

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PHILIP J. FARLEY, Room 11, Barristers' Hall. Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

JOSEPH W. LEACH, Room 12, Shedd's Block. Pianist and Teacher of Singing.

JOHN W. McEVOY, 137 Central St., Opp. American House, Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

COURTNEY & COURTNEY, Mansur Block. Counsellors-at-Law. William F. Courtney. Henry S. Courtney.

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Shoes that will stand the strain of **HARD WEAR**

AT EASY PRICES.

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FOUND—That after 8250 cakes of "Saprshine" guaranteed to clean silver, plain brass, etc., and wash hands to satisfaction. No one has returned yet. Ask your grocers or druggists for it.

## THE WEATHER.

Sun rises—6:16; sets, 4:35.
Length of day—10h. 23m.
Moon rises—noon.
Full sea—5:15 a.m.; 5:15 p.m.
Forecast for New England: Generally fair during the day, with southerly to westerly winds.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

Mrs. H. C. Scarlet returned to her husband in Tewksbury yesterday afternoon.

The Lewiston, Me., water board inspected the driven well plants in this city yesterday.

Special bargains in rough cloth jackets, kersey jackets, fur, cloth and astrachan capes, mackintoshes, etc. See Chris Holmes' ad.

A horse owned by Dr. J. C. Irish stepped on a live wire on Nesmith street at about one o'clock Thursday and was burned so badly that it will probably die.

Wm. Burns, while walking down Lakeview avenue last evening, slipped on the sidewalk and broke his left ankle. He was carried to his home on Llewellyn street, where Dr. Meagher attended to his injury.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mercier celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage. In the morning they attended mass at St. Joseph's church and renewed their nuptial vows. Rev. Fr. Amyot, O. M. I., officiated. In the afternoon and evening a reception was held at their home 185 Mt. Hope street, Pawtucketville.

**Hear the Hon. George Fred Williams, C. F. Callahan and Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan at Huntington hall Saturday night.**

22 lbs. Sugar for $1.00.

Again we greet you on sugar. We are selling 22 lbs. of the best granulated sugar for $1.00, and we will deliver free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 98 Merrimack street.


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Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

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insomnia, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

**$65** GARDNER, 20 Prescott street, has a good Upright Piano, seven octaves for $65.00—Friday—It's just what you want.

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## CITY CHARTER REVISION

### A MANIFESTO ISSUED BY THE FINANCIAL COMMISSION.

**The Benefits to be Derived From the Adoption of the New Charter—Every Friend of Good Government Should Vote For It.**

To the Voters of the City of Lowell:

You will be called upon at the election to be held next Tuesday to vote "Yes" or "No" on a proposed amendment to the City Charter, known as Chapter 415, Acts of 1896. Your careful and thoughtful attention is respectfully invited thereto.

It would seem unnecessary to present further reasons why there should be a change in the financial methods of our local government. Our report as members of a Finance Commission, created by the City Government, and the several investigations had since by His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council, must have convinced all that while there were a favored few, the great body of our citizens were paying a great deal more for what they received from the Government than they should, and were not deriving the benefits from the Government that they were entitled to. In fact, we think it has been clearly shown that there is a positive waste of at least $400,000 each year, that this waste adds to the rent of every house or room occupied, to the cost of every coat or meal purchased, to everything we wear or consume. It is equal to $150 for each man, woman and child in Lowell, or $25 for every registered voter, or eight times the total poll tax assessed.

It appears perfectly feasible to reduce our tax rate below that of any city of its size and yet have public baths, branch libraries, technical schools, model streets, ample sewerage, recreation grounds for children and many other conveniences and benefits that we now have to go without that would make for the happiness of all the people and for the reputation of the city and still pay the laborer the fair wage.

The public and the press with remarkable unanimity commended our selection of the duty assigned us. We endeavored to so discharge the trust thus imposed on us as to merit that confidence.

We investigated the finances of the city in a non-partisan spirit and not one fact we presented has been successfully challenged.

Whether we have proposed the best remedies for defects disclosed you are to judge.

They are such as commend themselves to us with our experience in business life. The method of purchase of supplies proposed and of guarding, appropriating and disbursing the revenues are such as are observed in well ordered governments, and such as have been incorporated into the charter of the cities that show the most rapid progress in population and wealth. They are not experimental but long tried and well grounded features of government.

The main objects of these amendments are to fix and bring out clearly the responsibility of each member of the City Government to the end that you may at each annual election pass intelligently upon the records of those who submit themselves for re-election. The purpose is to make government by the people more effective and more beneficent and thus perpetuate it. That those for whose personal benefit the revenues of the city are so largely diverted, and those who seek a like pull at the City Treasury, will work untiringly to defeat these amendments, may be taken for granted, though they will hardly give their real reason for their opposition. It remains to be seen whether the great body of voters will as clearly see and work and vote for their interest; we are confident that they will.

The amendments were published by order of the City Council in the papers of Saturday, October 17. Copies can be had of the undersigned. All inquiries will be answered by letter or through the press.

A. G. CUMNOCK,
E. M. TUCKE,
J. L. CHALIFOUX,
E. E. CONANT,
JAMES T. SMITH.

Les Miserable bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.


**It will go... Right to the spot**

Ayer's Hair Vigor will go right to that bald spot and begin to bring the hair back.

**It Makes Hair Grow.**


**Flag Day at Merrimack Clothing Co.**

There is to be a grand exhibition at the Merrimack Clothing Co.'s store tomorrow. This wide awake company is always on the alert for anything that will benefit the public and here is where they have made the greatest hit in their business experience.

Having heard that a great manufacturer of clothing in New York had got into a financial difficulty and had to go to the wall and that his immmoth stock of overcoats must be disposed of in bulk, regardless of cost, Mr. Daniel S. O'Brien, representing the company, made an offer for the entire lot and tomorrow is the day for plunks at the Merrimack.

For the small sum of seven dollars and fifty cents, every man that wants a first-class all-wool overcoat can get one. You may never get a chance like this again. Join the procession and be happy all winter.


## LIVING TORTURE.

**Painful Condition of a Lowell Citizen and His Relief.**

A disease which is accompanied with sharp pains at every turn wears upon the patient so terribly that life becomes nothing but a torture. Misery, misery, year after year, is enough to utterly discourage one and wish it was all over. Neither can we blame such an invalid for all the morbid thoughts of life that may arise. Mr. F. D. Sawyer, residing at 118 Walker street, has undoubtedly a keen recollection of the tortures of Kidney disease, and he is glad it is but a recollection, as anyone who had suffered ten years, would be. He has for seventeen years driven a soda wagon, and the constant jolting and jumping off the wagon and on, produced a terrible condition of the kidneys. He has been so bad at times as to be utterly unable to do a thing. He has doctored, taken many remedies, worn plasters and plasters, and all to no real good. Often he was quite unable to dress himself. His nights were sleepless from pain, and it was impossible to find any position of ease in bed. Added to all this came urinary trouble to lend its misery to the general woe. A few weeks ago he had an unusually bad attack, and having read what Doan's Kidney Pills were doing right here in Lowell, he got a box of Ellingwood & Co., Merrimack and Central streets. He adds: "They surprised me. I have not felt as I do now in years, and I want to give you a strong testimonial in gratitude to the Pills."

For sale by all dealers—price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.



# NIBLOCK'S

133-137 MERRIMACK ST.

TO INTRODUCE our new departments we shall offer values Friday and Saturday that cannot be duplicated. These are not old goods marked down, but all new this season.

### HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

20 dozen Ladies' two-thread Woolen Ribbed Hose at 25c., this would be honest value at 40c. Do not miss it.

1 small lot of Gent's Hose in Camel Hair and black at 21c.

### KID GLOVES DEPARTMENT.

We have just received our Highland Gloves for street wear, we shall sell this beauty at $1.25. For style and quality it cannot be equalled. Every pair warranted. Ask to see it.

1 lot Cashmere Gloves at 25c.

1 lot Cashmere Gloves at 50c.

These goods were manufactured to sell for 1 3 more than prices we are quoting for Friday and Saturday.

### RIBBON DEPARTMENT.

Remember we are the leading Millinery Ribbon Store. Neck Bows, made of Fancy ribbon, at 45c. Something new and stylish, made for Friday and Saturday Sale.

Ladies wishing the new Moire Sash Ribbon will find a complete line in our Ribbon Dept.

### LACES.

Do not pass this department; this is to be found on our second floor. You will be delighted with the display, and ever after when you wish to buy FINE LACES by the yard or made-up articles call where you can find the choicest selected stock in the city.

### COTTON UNDERWEAR.

1 lot of Night Robes at 90c. This value must be seen to be appreciated.

Remember custom orders taken in this department at a slight advance over regular prices.

### SMALL WARE AND NOTIONS.

1 lot superior Velveteen and Braid Corp Binding, 8c.

1 lot Hump Hooks Jap and Silver, 9c. box.

1 lot Mohair Braid, 8c. piece.

1 lot Basting Cotton, best quality, 45c. dozen.

1 lot warranted Shields, 3 pairs for 15c.

Always in stock a fine selected line of Silk Gimps. Ladies' and Children's line Supporters, Scissors, and everything appertaining to a first class Notion Dept.

Colgate's Toilet Articles in great variety.

Several other articles of interest will be placed on our counters for Friday and Saturday sales, which we have no space to mention. Remember all goods sold by us are warranted.

**NIBLOCK'S**

Milliners and Ladies' Furnishers.



# THE BON MARCHE

# FOUR DAYS BEFORE ELECTION

## And This Saturday Oct. 31st, 1896.

Will be a Day long remembered in Lowell and in fact all over the country. It is to be

# FLAG DAY

Everybody invited to throw to the breeze the Stars and Stripes. Old Glory will no doubt be unfurled over all the United States and what better incentive could be given to Americans than this to vote for the best interests of their country?

The Bon Marche is for peace and prosperity and "where peace and rest can never dwell prosperity never comes---that comes to all."

**Saturday is Also to be Remembered on Account of**

# Millinery and Cloak Bargains

## MILLINERY

Purchases of large quantities (such as no other dealer in Lowell would dare to buy) enables us to throw out some tempting values in ready trimmed Walking Hats for Saturday.

1 lot 750 trimmed Walking Hats 25c, Another lot of as many more trimmed Sailors and Walking Hats, Saturday 98c

Special low prices in trimmed Hats for this day's trade. We invite all the ladies to call and examine and bear in mind it is no trouble for salespeople to show goods.

Our stock of Millinery Trimmings is replete in every detail and the prices were never so low.

We have feathers at 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 19c, 25 and 39c, which we call rare bargains and cannot be fairly matched in Lowell.

The Mourning Department in our Millinery needs only to be mentioned, it is the only thoroughly equipped Mourning Stock in the city.

## MILLINERY

(CONTINUED.)

Children's Hats and Trimmings have received unusual attention this season, and why not, the little tots ought to be in style same as the big folks. The prices also are little in this branch.

Come and see.

## CLOAKS.

The Cloak business with us is quite an item, each season we carry a line second to none in Boston and twice as large as any in the city.

Through our endeavors as cloak merchants it has become possible for the people of Lowell to buy elegant garments for five dollars and upwards.



MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE, SALE OF COLLINS' MILL KERSEY OVERCOATS, NINE O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING.

**TO CELEBRATE FLAG DAY**

**Oct. 31st,**

We will sell CAMPAIGN HANDKERCHIEFS at 10c.

**Boys' Suits**

The B. O. E., Best on Earth for Boys,

Tells the whole story—'tis a school suit, all-wool, double seat and Knees, riveted buttons, seams warranted not to come apart, made of strong, serviceable materials.

**$2.50**

No More, No Less.

**Reefers**

Blue Chinchilla, neatly made and trimmed extra deep sailor collar, on the small sizes, and velvet collar for the large boys, special value.

**$3.00**

**BOYS**

Have you entered the contest for the swell Dayton $100 Bicycle to be given by the Merrimack Clothing Co., to the boy making the most words out of the letters in the name "Knockabout?"

BE ON HAND SATURDAY MORNING AT NINE O'CLOCK. MILL PRICE. COLLINS' MILL COATS.

# FLAG DAY AT THE MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO., OCTOBER 31

## COATS FOR THE PEOPLE AT MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE.

# GIGANTIC OVERCOAT SALE

Consummated yesterday. The big Clothing Manufacturers, Myres, Meyer & Hartman, Broadway, New York City, accept the offer of the MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO., of Lowell, for their entire stock of **MEN'S COLLINS' MILLS KERSEY OVERCOATS,** in Black or Blue. Here is the document that told the story:—

Mill Price, Mill Price, Mill Price, Merrimack Clothing Co., 9 O'clock Saturday Morning

**THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.**
—INCORPORATED—
21,000 OFFICES IN AMERICA. CABLE SERVICE TO ALL THE WORLD.

This company TRANSMITS and DELIVERS messages only on conditions limiting its liability, which have been assented to by the sender of the following message.
Errors can be guarded against only by repeating a message back to the sending station for comparison, and the company will not hold itself liable for errors or delays in transmission or delivery of Unrepeated Messages, beyond the amount of tolls paid thereon, nor in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with the Company for transmission.
This is an UNREPEATED MESSAGE, and is delivered by request of the sender, under the conditions named above.
THOS. T. ECKERT, President and General Manager.

NUMBER 27 | SENT | REC'D BY | CHECK W. J. Collins

RECEIVED at 17 Merrimack St., Lowell Mass. Dec. 29 1896

Dated New York 29

To M. O'Sullivan

Care Merrimack Clothing Co.

We accept your offer for our entire stock of Collins Mills Kersey overcoats we ship today.

Myres, Meyer and Hartman

Mill Price, Mill Price, Mill Price, Merrimack Clothing Co., 9 O'clock Saturday Morning

These are regular $15.00 Coats, all that the manufacturers had remaining, and this lot has better lining than those sold at the mill, and will have our etiquette on the collar to distinguish them. This entire purchase will be put on sale at **9 o'clock Saturday Morning at MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE,**

# $7.50 a Coat $7.50 a Coat

BY THE BIG STORE **MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.** OPP. CITY HALL, Lowell

SALE SATURDAY MORNING AT NINE O'CLOCK. MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE, $7.50 A COAT.

**UNDERWEAR AT MILL PRICE MILL PRICE**

White Wool Underwear 37 1-2c.

Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Shirts 34 to 48, Drawers 30 to 44.

Natural Wool and Camel Hair Underwear

Mill price, mill price, mill price. **50c.**

**HOSIERY**

Mill price, mill price, mill price. Natural Wool and Camel Hair Hosiery. **2 Pairs 25c.**

25 doz. Plymouth Buck Gloves

Seconds, will wear as well as regular goods. **50c.**

**MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.**

OPP. CITY HALL.

COLLINS' MILLS KERSEY OVERCOATS AT MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE, $7.50, NINE O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNIN

# THE LOWELL DAILY SUN.

VOL. XXXII. NO. 48. THE SUN leads in local news. LOWELL, MASS., FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1896. THAT'S WHY it leads in circulation. PRICE ONE CENT.


## SECOND EDITION

The Sun is the only evening penny paper in Lowell printing Telegraphic News.

## TO WAGE EARNERS

### Mr. Bryan Tells Benefits of Free Silver.

IN REPLY TO THE APPEALS TO LABOR.

Incidents of the Election—Bets and Estimates.

In reply to the question, "Will free silver while raising wages, injure labor by increasing the cost of living," Mr. Bryan has given the following answer:

That is a question that is propounded by the manufacturer-employer, who seems to be terribly afraid that under free coinage he will have to get his men for less wages than they are working for now. I want to say that, in the sense in which the words are used, I reply, NO. There are two things to be considered:

First, the number of dollars that the laboring man receives, and second, the purchasing power of the dollar he receives.

If you take the purchasing power of a single dollar, it will be less; but at the present time a great many workingmen are working on half time, and many are not able to find work at all, and you must remember that, when you decide whether the purchasing power of the workingman's wages is decreased, you must take what the workingman will receive in dollars under free coinage and compare it with what the workingman receives in dollars now under the gold standard.

More than that, you also have to consider that under the present conditions when a man loses his job it is hard to find work again, and that every man who finds employment is menaced by idle men, increasing in number, who stand ready to take his place at a moment's notice.

We insist that the conditions that will be brought about by the free coinage of silver, the increased demand for work in order to supply the goods which will be consumed when the people are prosperous under bimetallism, and the increasing wages will come with a greater demand for labor, we insist that, when these things are considered, the workingman will receive more dollars and that he can buy more with the larger wages which he will receive under free coinage than he can buy now with the few dollars he receives under the gold standard, and then his employment will be more permanent.

Let me give you a test. I challenge you to find an instance where the laboring man ever suffered because of the bimetallic standard. They tell you that prices will rise. I believe that general prices will rise. They tell you that that means suffering to the workingman. I want you to look back over the period when we had rising prices, and you will find that those times were the best that the workingman ever had, because he not only had more steady employment and better wages, but the property that he had also rose, whereas today, if his wages buy more per dollar, the property that he owns goes down in value as the dollar goes up.

Remember that the laboring man have never indorsed the gold standard in any nation that has had it; and when you see the beauties of the gold standard are so disguised that a financier has to spend all the time during the campaign pointing out those blessings to the laboring man, who cannot discover them when they are pointed out, you will understand what the gold standard has done for the laboring man.

### FUNERALS.

O'NEIL—The remains of Mrs. Daniel O'Neil arrived in this city from Charlestown this morning and were interred in the Catholic cemetery. Deceased formerly resided in this city and has many friends here.


For Delicacy, for purity, and for improvement of the complexion nothing equals POZZONI'S POWDER.

J. F. O'DONNELL UNDERTAKER, Market, Corner Worthen Street. Telephone.

FOR FLOWERS GO TO PATTEN & CO., FLORISTS 293 Central Street.

BLACK KERSEY Overcoats, ALL WOOL, $6.00.

Italian body linings; Striped sleeve linings; double stitched side of seams; brand new coats; this year's length.

Putnam & Son, 166 Central Street.

CHRIS HOLMES' SPECIALTY STORE, 124-126 Merrimack Street.

LADIES ATTENTION! GIGANTIC SALE —OF— JACKETS! JACKETS!

High neck, latest style in rough goods, Kersey Cloths, Boucles, two toned effects, etc., $3.98, $4.95, $5.98, $6.75, $7.50, $8.75, $10.75, $12.50.

MISSES' COATS—More nobby styles than can be found in any three stores in the city. See the values at $3.75, $4.95, $5.75, $6.98 and $7.50; actual value from $6 to $11.50.

LADIES' CAPES—Tailor made cloth Capes $3.98 to $25. Astrachan Cloth Capes $4.98, $8 to $15.

FINE FURS—All the newest ideas in Furs, Handsome Mink, Marten, Electric seal. Garments, Capes, Collarettes, etc. Best assortment and lowest prices.

MACKINTOSHES—All wool, navy blue cashmere, inlaid velvet collar, warranted value $8.50 this sale $4.95.


## LATEST

## BIG FLAG RAISING

### At Which Several Local Speakers are Heard.

THE "110 CLUB" CONDUCTS THE AFFAIR.

Great Enthusiasm Aroused by the Addresses.

If John H. Sheehan conducts his canvass of the councilmanic nomination in ward five as successfully as he managed the grand democratic flag raising of the "110 club" last night, he'll be an easy winner.

The flag raising was marked by the greatest enthusiasm seen here during the campaign. The flag was swung to the breeze on Concord street from the residence of William Cogger, secretary of the non-partisan silver league and the prime mover in the event was John H. Sheehan.

The parade which preceded the exercises formed on Lakeview avenue and consisted of the American band of this city and the Harrington minstrels of Lawrence about 200 in number, grotesquely arrayed in long coats, white trousers and white tall hats. In a buronche rode President Sheehan of the 110 club, John H. Harrington, Rev. Park A. Bradford, W. A. Hogan, Esq., and Henry S. Courtney, Esq., Red fire was burned along the line and great enthusiasm was manifested. The marchers proceeded through Bridge to Dutton, to Thorndike, to Middlesex, to Central, to Church, to Andover, to Concord.

The speakers were escorted to the second floor of Mr. Cogger's cosy residence where Mr. Sheehan, from the bay window welcomed the hundreds below in well chosen remarks, introducing as chairman of the evening William A. Hogan, Esq.

Mr. Hogan complimented the club for unfurling the stars and stripes to the breeze and for placing upon their banner the names of humanity's champions, "Bryan and Sewall." (Cheers.)

He referred to the fight in the west and gave it as his opinion that when the smoke of the political battle shall have cleared away, the voters will find William Jennings Bryan the man of the true democracy, president of the United States. (Cheers.)

John H. Harrington was the next speaker and he was received with tremendous applause.

He spoke in part as follows:

"Fellow citizens—We are engaged in a work not only democratic but patriotic.

"Our friends, the republicans, have been striving to make the Stars and Stripes their own property, as if that glorious banner was not the banner of all parties and all creeds.

"They have inscribed on that banner the names of men who represent trusts and not the masses.

"If ever that banner is in danger, it is the masses, and not the trusts, who will defend it. The men who would go to the front would be men like the members of the 110 club; men like the Minstrals from Lawrence." (Cheers).

"The republicans charge us with questioning the authority of the Supreme court.

"I claim that there is a higher power than the Supreme court—it is the people.

"The republican party was born on a criticism of a decision of the Supreme court. That decision was one which declared that a man was not a man if his skin was black. They went so far in their efforts to prove that the Supreme court was wrong, that they left 500,000 bodies on the battlefield.

"In this campaign we find the trusts all arrayed on the one side and labor on the other.

"I have but one thing to say in closing. Whenever a question arises requiring a decision by your ballots, and you find the trusts and monopolies favoring one side vote the other way."

The other speakers were Rev. Park A. Bradford, Henry S. Courtney, Hon. John Welch and Fisher H. Pearson and all made eloquent speeches.

After the exercises the speakers, torchlight paraders and guests adjourned to the High street engine house where refreshments were served.

### ALL BIDS REJECTED

For Furnishing Meat to the City Institution.

The overseers of the poor held a regular meeting at the city farm yesterday afternoon. Five persons applied for pardons and four were granted.

The report of the secretary was read and accepted.

Bids were then opened for supplying beef to the city institution during the year commencing next Monday.

Bids were received from the Public Market Packing company, Jewett & Swift and Fred A. Tuttle.

The bidding was very close but slightly in advance of last year's prices

It then occured to the overseers of the poor that at this time of the year, beef is high in its price and that it might be purchased at a lower figure.

Mr. Williams moved that all bids received be rejected. The motion passed.

It was then voted to call for bids for furnishing beef to the city farm for six months. All bids must be in by next Wednesday evening and will be according the old specifications.

The amount to be furnished is about 1600 lbs of beef each week and one or two rumps and loins. The board then adjourned to meet next Wednesday evening.

### THE SUPT. ON DECK.

Cheney Has No News, But Says He Is All Right.

"There is nothing new, but the superintendent is on deck," said Supt. Cheney this morning at his office in city hall.

He was feeling well and laughed and joked with his friends.

In the office with him were Councilmen Pendergast, Eveleth and Hunton, and there was not a smile on the latter's face as he sat on a couch over in one corner of the room.

## "HORSE TRADERS" GUILTY

### Councilman Hunton and Charles A. Clapp Convicted.

### And They Are Now Awaiting Sentence, While Councilmen Maguire and George and Supt. Cheney Are Exonerated—Sentence Deferred.

District Attorney Wier continuing his final argument, said:

Having connected Messrs. Hunton, Cheney and Clapp, Councilman George is introduced as a conspirator. Then the committee was appointed and a meeting was called at Hunton's stable. Then it is known to the prosecution that every man is a party to it. Then they vote to buy horses at $200 each without asking Hunton (where he got them or not even seeing Clapp about the price. Then they go immediately to Clapp's stable and purchase eight horses without going to anyone else's stable. "That transaction is so rank, so bold, that there isn't a man who took part in it, but is either dishonest or a fool.

Mr. Wier then took up the fact of Mr. George purchasing a horse from Mr. Hunton and the suspicious incidents connected with it.

In concluding Mr. Wier said that the jurors should not find a verdict of not guilty, simply because this is a misdemeanor, because you can sit on the criminal panel for terms and not meet a more important case to the public than this. Why, if this sort of proceeding is allowed where can you find an honest man who will go into politics and serve his city. I ask you in all sincerity when will you ever have a case of this kind so strong as this, if you don't convict these men, it means that you can't convict a man of any crime of conspiracy in the county of Middlesex. If that goes abroad, where will the taxpayers find protection. But this is not a question of taxes, it is a question of public morals, and you are all here as a guardians of those morals. He laid great stress upon the necessity of putting aside sympathy for the defendants and their families and their heretofore good reputations, when considerating the evidence with a view of returning a verdict.

During the latter portion of his argument Mr. Burke interrupted Mr. Wier with an objection to a remark, which Mr. Wier modified slightly and proceeded.

There is one issue in this case that can't be dodged. If Hunton was right and just why did he conceal the ownership of the animals. Wouldn't it have been his duty to tell the committee how much the horses cost Mr. Clapp?

He wasn't frank, he wasn't honest in his transaction. It is absurd to make a claim that the full committee in public meeting went into conspiracy. Go to Quincy and see the quarryman cutting stone, go to Maine and see the lumberman cutting wood, go to Westford and watch the brick man fashioning brick. You do not know the purpose anyone has in view. But go to the architect's office in Boston and you will see the purpose of stone, wood and brick. They all form a building which may or may not be a credit to the architect.

"Let me call your attention to one of these defendants, Hunton. You knew what I meant before I spoke his name. This man who swore at the investigation, when he thought it would never amount, that he had never in his life paid less than $100 for a horse, went to Boston and bought four horses for $75' $64, $90 and $87. These horses were sold to the city for $200 each.

In this case Hunton is the architect, and he brought three other men together.

If this meeting was called to buy a sand bank from Mr. Cushin, there is only one answer to be given in a criminal count and it is "where is Cushin?" Why is he not here to prove that he was to withdraw his offer? Why was Cheney so anxious to have this meeting at this particular time? On Cushin's account? Where is Cushin? Why wasn't he here to tell the truth of the matter?

At the beginning of the afternoon session, Mr. Wier resumed his argument and dealt with Mr. Hunton's actions subsequent to the deal. "Don't you think that if these men were honest they would come forward immediately when notice of suspicion of the deal and demand an investigation? Mr. Hunton went before the investigating committee and refused to say anything. That was the first night when he thought it could be squelched. He refused to tell where he bought the horses because he knew that would bring out the price and if the public knew the figures it would stamp him as a villian.

Mr. Wier took Messrs. Hunton and Clapp together in their actions at the hearing to prove a conspiracy on their part in relation to the notes for payment of the horses, as a result of the former conspiracy. "Now," concluded Mr. Wier, "we have the very leader, Hunton." Hunton having hatched the plot didn't get the entire crowd to conspire at once. He first saw Cheney, a man whom he could use and the next we know Cheney is very anxious to have a meeting of the committee. Three disinterested witness show that Cheney was with Hunton in Boston when the latter bought the horses, and Cheney knowing the price kept it from the committee. But Clapp disarranged their plans, for he wants to sell some horses, and as each have eight hoses to get rid of it was necessary to sell sixteen horses. At first Mr. Wier said it was intended only to sell eight horses, but when Clapp came in on them it was necessary to sell his horse and keep him quiet.

Mr. Wier's argument took up an even two hours.

After a recess of a few minutes the court began his address to the jury. After the usual preliminary remarks he alluded to the grave responsibility resting upon them. Of the six counts in the indictment in the first, third, fourth and sixth counts you are to bring in a verdict of not guilty, but you are to consider the second and fifth counts.

The difference of these counts arises from the difference of the property of the horses. The second sets forth that the property was in Hunton and the fifth in Clapp. You cannot find them guilty on both counts, as they are inconsistent, and if you find a verdict of guilty on one count you must find them not guilty on the other.

He then reviewed the principles of evidence in criminal cases after which he cautioned them not to draw any inference or form any prejudice against the defendants because of their position to you on the stand.

A conspiracy as it applies to this case is a corrupt agreement entered into knowingly and by consented action to carry out an unlawful purpose.

The agreement is the offence and it is not important to know whether purpose was carried out successfully. If three went into an agreement at one time and later two more entered, these would be equally guilty with the first.

The charge occupied half an hour after which District Attorney Wier and Mr. Burke called the court's attention to circumstantial evidence and District Attorney Wier suggested that the four counts not contested be not pressed.

The jury retired at 4.08 o'clock and after having been out 20 minutes or more sent the indictment down to the court room to have the second and fifth counts marked off in the indictment in order that they could distinguish them. This caused a smile but the indictment was marked off nevertheless and sent back to them.

The court remained about the building for some time after the jury had retired.

The defendants, Clapp and Hunton, were not in court this morning and District Attorney Wier said that the sentences will not be imposed until next week. An extension of time has been granted for hearing the exceptions.

The horse case is practically closed, Hunton and Clapp are convicted, and Councilman George and Maguire and Supt. Cheney are acquitted of each and every charge brought against them. Only the sentence remains to be given and a most salutary lesson will have been taught to members of the city council and others who might conspire to defraud the city.

**Finding of the Jury.**

Having received the marked indictment the jurors were not heard from again for some time, when they sent down to ascertain something in relation to evidence.

Nearly all the spectators remained in anticipation of a verdict, and the defendants sat with other members of the city council anxiously awaiting their fate.

It is a noticeable fact that throughout the trial Messrs. Cheney, Maguire and George appeared most concerned and anxious about their position, while Messrs. Hunton and Clapp were as cool as the proverbial cucumbers from beginning to end.

As darkness came on the gas jets were lighted, but for some unknown reason did not give good light, throwing just enough over the large room to fill it with shadows and add a weird appearance to the scene.

The judge was in his room during the interim, while the spectators gradually thinned out as the hour for supper approached. But there were two men who stayed by the defendants throughout and who appeared to have the deepest sympathy for them, and they were Alderman Pevey and Councilman Eveleth.

About 6 o'clock the court and the lawyers held a conference in regard to allowing the jury to go to supper and to take a recess until evening.

At 6.10, however, the little bell in the jury room was heard to ring.

They filed in with fixed faces and the deep voice of clerk Ambrose broke the depressing silence with the words: "Mr. Foreman and gentlemen have you agreed upon a verdict?"

"We have" was the response.

Jonathan G. Hunton was called and he stood at the bar. The foreman made a slight mistake. He said "We found him not guilty in the fifth" and then corrected himself saying, "in the second count." Then each defendant was called in turn each was found not guilty in the second count and it was "good for some eyes" to see the happy looks upon the faces of Cheney, Maguire and George.

"Then came the fifth count.

"Jonathan G. Hunton" was called again and the foreman said "guilty" while Hunton never moved even a muscle.

George and Maguire were found not guilty.

And then came a moment which Supt. Cheney will never forget.

He stood as his name was called.

"Guilty" said the foreman and Cheney for the moment was an object of pity.

"No not guilty" said several of the jurors bending forward.

The foreman looked again and said: "Not guilty," and Supt. Cheney with a sigh of relief sat down.

On the fifth count Charles A. Clapp was also found guilty.

Mr. Burke gave notice that he would take the matter up on exceptions.

It is said a hearing will be given next Friday in the form in which the exceptions will go to the Supreme court, if allowed.

A second indictment against Mr. Hunton alleges that he sold a horse to the city in violation of the statute. On that charge he furnished $1500 security and he furnished a like amount on the charge upon which he was found guilty, though this second indictment is affected by the finding in the first.

It was too late to fix the matter of sentence last night and court then adjourned, having established a hard but it is to be hoped effective precedent for city councilmen in the years to come.

The fifth count alleged a sale of horses by Clapp, whereby Hunton received a bonus or reward, while the second count alleged that Hunton sold the horses to the city.

**Jail Cases.**

District Attorney Wier moved for sentence in the case of Harry Geldnest and Nellie Whitman and the court sentenced them to three months each in the house of correction in consideration of the fact that they have been in jail four months awaiting trial.

Then William Raymond and Annie Smith who have been in jail nearly four months received each three months in the house of correction.

**Sent to State Prison.**

The jury in the case of Thomas Glynn then returned a verdict of guilty and his sentence was imposed. Glynn had been arrested twice. Glynn in telling the court his age said he was going on 22 years and afterwards said he went to the reformatory in 1888 when he was 18 years of age and served three years, coming out in 1892. Glynn asked the court to go light on him while District Attorney Wier asked for a sentence to state prison.

The court then sentenced Glynn to state prison for not less than three years and not more than five.

**Other Cases.**

The trial of jury cases began this morning and in those of Harry Gilchrist and Nellie Whitman and William Hayward and Annie Smith charged with adultery, the jury returned verdicts of guilty.

Thomas Flynn was found guilty of breaking and entering Wong Long's laundry and stealing $25.

Henry Perreault was found guilty of breaking and entering the store of J. M. G. Burns.

The jury in the case of Henry Perrault returned a verdict of guilto and his sentence was considered. Perrault had served a year in the reformatory. He was sentenced to the reformatory for the second term.

The next case called was that of James Dignan or alleged assault with a dangerous weapon on Henry McCabe on the night of July 3.

The case was on trial this afternoon.

### THEATRICAL NEWS.

**Savoy Theatre.**

Photographs and autographs are always interesting to ladies, therefore, W. T. Freeman has taken a set of six fine photos (cabinet size) of Kendal Weston, which will be distributed with Mr. Weston's autograph to every lady purchasing a seat upon the lower floor tomorrow afternoon, which marks the opening of a series of twelve matinees, when different member of the company will present their photographs. Performances tonight and tomorrow night.

**Music Hall.**

Music hall was crowded last night to greet Rice & Barton's comedy company. A Trip to Boston, introduced all hands, and gave several taking parts. Charles Barton was very funny, and his song, "The Blow Almost Killed Father," was a decided hit. The Washburn sisters sang "My Mother Was a Lady" with excellent effect. Winnifred Stewart displayed a good contralto voice, well trained in her song, "Don't Tell Her That You Love Her," which was redemanded. Irving T. Bush was lively and amusing as Bridget Gillespi, and sang well.

The specialties were unique, presenting some of the best vaudeville artists in the country.

Between the numbers there were tableaux vivants, in which Misses Stewart, Irving, Douglass and Austin appeared, Miss Ida Austin having charge of the grouping.

The final burlesque, Naughty Coney Island, was a vivid picture of that lively isle, with all its features, and it was made more brilliant by a couple of well drilled marches.

The performance will be repeated this and tomorrow evenings with a Saturday matinee, and full houses are assured.

For the first half of next week Dan Sherman will appear in the farce comedy Old Dan Tucker.

**Police Court—Hadley, J.**

There was a number of continued cases tried in the police court this morning and some were further continued while others were placed on file.

Henry A. Schofield, charged with neglect of wife, was continued to Nov. 13, and Edward W. Maynard, who was also charged with a similar offence was held in $100 to Nov. 5.

John J. Devine, a drunk, was sent to jail for 3 months.

Patrick Fells, charged with being a common drunkard, was held in $200 till tomorrow, and Daniel Donohoe was found guilty of assault and battery and fined $15.

The Westminster Presbyterian church has extended a call to Rev. G. W. Hamilton of Bellefontaine, O.


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## THE SUN EXTRA 5 O'CLOCK

### ARRESTED FOR MURDER

While Claiming a Pension Under an Assumed Name.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Elroy, Wis., Oct. 30.—Perry Richardson, just arrested in Kendall, is charged with murder of a man named Wilde, a Portage, 26 years ago. His claiming a pension under his old name gave the clue to his identity.

### NETTIE CRAVEN

Wants the Property of a Deceased Millionaire.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

San Francisco, Oct. 30.—Charles L. Fair, has filed an answer and cross complaint to the suit of Mrs. Nettie Craven, claiming to be the contract wife of the late millionaire, for one million property. She claims Fair's signature forgery deeds fraudulent.

### WALL STREET QUIET.

Has Recovered from the Excitement of Yesterday's Stringency.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

New York, Oct. 30.—There was a notable lack of excitement in Wall street at the opening this morning, considering the extreme stringency yesterday.

At 11 o'clock only $1009 loaned at 50 per cent.

### HOT FROM THE WIRE.

A case of poisoning in which Mrs. Edward Crossman and her nephew, Ernest G. Melvin were victims, was discovered today at Boston. It is believed that coal gas caused the fatalities.

Thomas Manchester was arrested at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., on the charge of murdering Martin Delaney. A young girl testified against him.

### SURPRISE PARTY.

Miss Maggie McLeod Remembered By Friends.

A very pretty and enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Miss Maggie McLeod, 12 Brown street last evening by her friends to show their love and esteem for her by presenting to her a gold ring and bracelet. The presentation was made by John Murray and Miss McLeod made a very pretty response. Music followed by Mr. William Hunt, John J. Murray, the O'Neil children, Mr. Johnson, Miss Josie Parsons, Miss Annie Johnson and Miss Nellie Trim and Braidnes quartet, piano solos by Miss Merrill and Miss Stokes. The party was under the direction of Miss Mamie Lee and Miss Josie Parsons. Refreshments were served by Kilpatrick and Mortimer, caterers. Music by the Dehoney orchestra.

### CAMPAIGN NOTES.

The republican leaders all over the country but especially the gold men in New York are almost panic stricken by the reception rendered Bryan in Chicago. They are practically convinced that they are beaten and their prediction of McKinley's election is but an effort to keep up their courage and to prevent a general stampede for Bryan. Betting is two to one on Bryan.

There will be a meeting of prominent democrats in Jackson hall Sunday afternoon at 2.30 to make arrangements for getting out the voters on election day.

Mr. Creelman, the gold writer for the New York World, has written his paper that even though it cost him his position he must write down the situation as he finds it in Chicago and in the west, and that in his judgment indicates Bryan's triumphant election.

In relation to the hissing of Mr. Bradford as reported in the Citizen, the facts are these: Rev. Mr. Bradford said that England would have to bow to the American flag again as she had done before. Some Englishmen in the crowd yelled, "never" and the crowd hissed the Englishmen and not the speaker.

W. M. Hoyt, of the firm of W. M. Hoyt & Co., of Chicago, importers and wholesale grocers, presented to Mr. Bryan today a house and two lots in Lincoln, Neb., in lieu of a cash contribution to the campaign fund.

In his letter Mr. Hoyt scored the gold standard and declared that, although he is rich in real estate, he is poor in cash.

Mr. Bryan turned the deed over to Chairman Jones, who will sell it and put the proceeds into the democratic campaign fund. The property is worth about $18,000.

**Picture Agents Arrested.**

James T. Long and Daniel J. Brown, two picture agents, employed by a firm having an office in the square, were arrested this afternoon by Officers Lennon, J. B. Crowley and Breen for alleged assault upon a French girl, the offence said to have taken place in the room of the girl in Merrimack street.

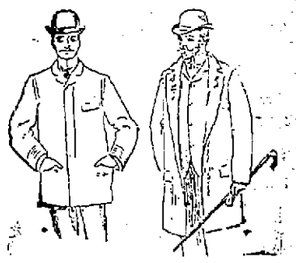
A reporter tried to get information at the police station, but it was no use, the new slate wasn't in working order and even the name of the girl could not be obtained. It is hinted that the assault is something more serious than a mere slap in the face.

The girl is 17 years of age and her parents reside in Canada. She is quite pretty and claims she cannot speak English.

**Special Meeting of Aldermen.**

Mayor Courtney has called a special meeting of the aldermen for 7.30 tonight to confirm an election inspector who has been nominated to fill a vacancy and also to pass upon the transfers and loans to place out the appropriations.

John Graham, who was formerly a member of St. Patrick's Cadet band is now the drummer in the Holy Cross college orchestra.

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## GREAT FLAG DAY

### Will be Observed by Local Merchants

OF ALL POLITICAL PARTIES TOMORROW.

Preparations Being Made For It Today.

All the stores, republican and democratic are preparing to observe flag day. The observance will be general. It is in response to an appeal to the patriotism of the people by the leaders of both parties.

There is great demand for flags at Pollard's, O'Donnell & Gilbrides', Bon Marche and other stores. The city will be gaily decked tomorrow all in honor of Old Glory and with a spirit of upholding it.

### DEATHS.

JEFFRAY—Harriet Jeffray, aged 72 years, died yesterday at her home in West Chelmsford. She leaves a husband, four daughters and five sons. Funeral which will be private, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SMITH—Freeman J. Smith died yesterday at his home, 63 Woodward avenue.

COLLINS—Mary Collins, aged 55 years, died yesterday at her home, 44 Common street. She was an esteemed resident of Ward two, and was well known among the old residents. She leaves a family. Funeral from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

MOONEY—Frank M. Mooney, aged 5 years, son of Michael and Margaret Mooney, died this morning at their home 249 High street.

**Hear the Hon. George Fred Williams, C. F. Callahan and Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan at Huntington hall Saturday night.**

### MATRIMONIAL.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon from the residence of the bride, 11 Mill street. The contracting parties were Miss Bridget M. Shannon and Patrick J. Scanlon. Rev. Fr. Joyce, O. M. I., performed the ceremony at the Immaculate Conception church. The best man was Michael J. Kelley and the bridesmaid Miss Annie J. Farrelly. The bride was attired in old rose with chiffon and lace trimmings and carried a bouquet of bride's roses, while the bridesmaid wore pink lace and ribbons. After the wedding the happy couple entertained about 50 guests. The presents were numerous and costly.

**Whist Party.**

A very enjoyable sociable was held at the residence of Miss Sadie Corniff, 28 Wamesit street last evening. Whist and other games were played and a fine musical program was carried out by Miss Mary Corcoran, Miss Geldrell, Mr. P. McCue and Mr. Ormond Long. The first prize was won by Miss Martineau and Mr. McCue, the booby by Miss Kittie Corcoran and Mr. Sutcliffe. Seasonable refreshments were served.


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Stand by the people in voting "no" on the biennial election resolve next Tuesday.

Laboring men should read what Mr. Bryan says of the effect of free silver on wages and cost of living. It is printed on the first page.

Councilman Hunton and Mr. Clapp, the leaders in the horse trade, have been convicted, and the general opinion is that the verdict is a just one, considering the evidence.

The students of Chicago had to emulate those of New Haven, and the hoodlums of Kentucky in attempting to interfere with the freedom of speech by throwing eggs at the Bryan parade.

Bishop Worthington of Omaha, Nebraska, has gained considerable notoriety, which was probably what he was seeking by making the statement that "we have followed our educational system entirely too far," and another statement that it is useless to send farmers' sons to college, as they usually are incapable of receiving a good education.

The Mail affects to have regard for truth but nobody would discover that fact from the statements made in its editorial columns during this campaign. It charges the Sun with gigantic falsehood in saying that the gold men and the trusts helped to keep up the price of wheat. They have a corner on wheat and are making the best of it. They will let up after election. The high price of wheat is of little benefit to the farmer as he had sold his wheat before the rise came. As usual the trusts are the gainers.

There is no greater hypocrite in public life today than Mark Hanna. His great aim is to get control of the U. S. government by getting Mr. Kinley, on whom he holds a bottom mortgage, elected to the White house. If he should accomplish that, he will endeavor as he has already stated to take the tariff question out of politics and put it in the hands of a commission made up of manufacturers. He would also take the monetary question out of politics by putting it in the hands of a commission made up of republican bankers, or millionaires and money kings. He would take advantage of his eminent position as silent director of the U. S. government. Through his figurehead, McKinley, he would secure the enactment of other measures. For this and other reasons unnecessary to mention, the people should vote against Mr. Hanna, his candidate and his party. As compared with Mr. Bryan's devotion to principle and his desire for such reforms as will benefit the people, Hanna's appeal on the ground of patriotism and honor will appear ridiculous.

TO BE REMEMBERED ON ELECTION DAY.

There is reason to believe that from the complexity of the ballot on election day there will be great confusion, and very many blank votes. There will be as many as seven state and national tickets to select from, and this task alone will be very perplexing. It will take the average voter probably from fifteen minutes to half an hour to perform this work correctly. The difficulty of perusing all the ballots in order to find the one preferred, will require time and care. No hurried or casual glance at the ballot will suffice, because even those who may be considered well posted on such matters, are liable to make mistakes. But this is not all. There are two important questions to be passed upon by the voters, namely, the biennial election resolve, and the revision of the city charter. To the voters of Lowell the city charter revision is very important, and to the voters of the entire state the matter of biennial elections is one that cannot be passed over slightly. Both are submitted to the people for approval or disapproval. The revision of the city charter affects the business methods of our city government, and provides for many important improvements.

The chief provisions of the measure will increase the mayor's powers, provide for purchasing supplies through an agent, and for separating the executive and judicial functions of the city council, so that councilmen will no longer have the expenditure of money. If the biennial resolve be carried, it will result in having state elections but once every two years, which would be very injurious to the interests of the common people. Both these measures should be carefully considered. Every voter should vote in favor of the charter revision and against the biennial resolve.

# THE POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

## A POSTAL CARD CANVASS.

### Heavy Percentage of Voters Who Voted For Harrison, but Who Now Support Bryan.

The Chicago Record's postal card canvass of the vote of the close western states when subjected to rational analysis indicates that Bryan will carry them all. The conclusions reached by the New York World and other goldbug papers are so strikingly contrary to the facts that they will not deceive a single reader who gives the subject an instant's thought.

As only a small fraction of the voters have sent in replies, the fact that of these more have come from McKinley than from Bryan men points to nothing. The Bryan men were advised by Chairman Jones to refrain from voting, and, had they not been, the common people—workingmen and employees largely—do not care to indicate their intentions even where there is the remotest possibility of the fact coming to the knowledge of the unscrupulous money power. Taking the per cent of those who voted the Republican ticket in 1892, but who will now vote for Bryan, as indicated by this postal card canvass, and the per cent of those who voted the Democratic ticket in 1892 and now intend to vote for McKinley, and assuming that the same ratio exists in the entire vote, it indicates a victory for Bryan in all the states canvassed, as follows: Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, South Dakota, North Dakota, Michigan, Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Kentucky, Kansas.

**Mr. Bryan's vote in New York city will be much increased by the opposition of the New York Sun. That paper's villification and billingsgate without a single attempt at the use of reason or logic has made thousands of votes for the Democratic candidate in that city.**

### Why the Plain People Will Vote For Bryan.

Because he is against the trusts and monopolies and they are against him.

Because all the enemies of the common people and of their interests are against him.

Because he is not mortgaged.

Because he is thoroughly honest.

Because the plutocrats hate him.

Because he is in favor of an income tax.

Because he is in favor of American independence in the matter of free coinage as well as in everything else.

Because he is opposed to government by injunction.

Because he will carry out the platform upon which he will be elected.

Because he believes in the widest possible diffusion of moderate welfare for the whole people.

Because he is opposed to laws to make the rich richer and the poor poorer.

Because his whole public and private career is without a stain or a flaw.

Because there has been too much legislation for the somebodies in the past and it is time to legislate a little for everybody.

Because those politicians like Tom Reed and Dave Hill, who never earned a dollar in their lives except by holding public office, are against him.

Because if he be not elected this time the people may not have another chance at self government, but will be living under the despotism of wealth.

**If gold is not scarce, if there is enough gold with which to do the business of the world, why is it that every time the comparatively small sum of $500,000 or $1,000,000 of it comes into or goes out of the country the newspapers all make a big fuss about it?**

## DR. McCANN'S DEATH.

### Was Not a Case of Suicide But Accidental Poisoning By Morphine.

New York, Oct. 30.—At the residence of Dr. Charles P. McCann, who died in a Boston hotel, it is said that the supposition that Dr. McCann had committed suicide was nonsensical. Dr. McCann has been a sufferer from nervousness and insomnia. To relieve his suffering, it is stated, he was in the habit of taking morphine, and his family and friends are of the opinion that he probably took an overdose by mistake.

#### Liabilities Run High.

Laconia, N. H., Oct. 30.—The creditors of the Laconia Car company met yesterday to consider the financial standing of the company. Boston banking institutions were represented by attorneys, and nearly all the leading individual creditors were present. President Putnam, in his statement of financial affairs, showed the total resources to be $407,451.31; total liabilities, $617,614.21; excess of liabilities over resources, $210,162.90. President Putnam said the car works could offer no compromise at this meeting, but suggested that a committee of creditors investigate and try to arrange settlement, in order to prevent insolvency proceedings. After a long discussion, a committee was chosen.

#### Wreck, Fire and Loss of Life.

Wapakoneta, O., Oct. 30.—A through fast freight train ran into three loaded oil car tanks, which were left on a main track, here last night. The freight train was set on fire, destroying it and about 12 loaded cars. The engineer, fireman and brakeman cannot be found, and are supposed to be in the ruins. The fire occurred near the Manhattan Oil company's pump station, to which the flames spread. It is a total loss.

#### Overwork and Despondency.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 30.—Stephen S. Gregory, aged 21, a fellow in civil engineering at Cornell university, who entered, this fall, from the University of Texas, committed suicide last night, by taking potassium cyanide. His home was in California until recently. The deed was due to despondency, brought on by worry and overwork.

#### About That Treaty.

London, Oct. 30.—The Berlin correspondent of The Daily News says he is able to confirm the statement made by the Hamburger Nachrichten, that a written neutrality treaty between Russia and Germany did exist from 1884 to 1890.

#### The Czar Wavers.

London, Oct. 30.—The Times' correspondent at Berlin says: "I hear from St. Petersburg that the czar has decided to postpone the currency reform, which it was proposed to submit to the state council this autumn."

#### De Reszke Marries.

Paris, Oct. 30.—The civil marriage of Jean De Reszke, the operatic tenor, and Nesle, Comtesse De Nailly, occurred yesterday. It was very quiet, the few guests including Edouard De Reszke, brother of the groom.

#### China Making Progress.

Berlin, Oct. 30.—The Emperor of China has ordered Li Hung Chang to reside permanently at Pekin, as his presence and advice are indispensable. His appointment (as minister of foreign affairs) indicates that the Tsung-li-yamen will be completely reorganized, on the European model. Prince Ching, the Conservative, who opposed this reform and the extension of the Siberian railway, has resigned.

#### Another Crisis Imminent.

Paris, Oct. 30.—The election of the Progressist, M. Esambert, as vice president of the chamber, together with the fact that the government asked that M. Jaures' interpellation with reference to the Carmaux labor troubles should be postponed until Tuesday, is regarded in some quarters as an indication that the cabinet's stability is threatened by the Radicals. Tuesday's debate is expected to be critical.

## THE TURKISH QUESTION.

### Bids Fair to Be Reopened to the Dismay of the Sultan.

London, Oct. 30.—The Rome correspondent of The Chronicle is assured that, on his return to St. Petersburg, the czar will propose a conference of the powers, to discuss the Turkish problem.

A Constantinople dispatch to the same paper says that Nazim Pasha, minister of police, is conspiring with Bartholomeos, the Armenian patriarch, Slocum Tenens, and the palace gang, to provoke fresh outbreaks, as an excuse for a general massacre of Armenians, whose terror is painful to see.

The Morning Post has a dispatch from Constantinople, which says that it is reported that the police have discovered a large store of explosives in the Taskis quarter, including 25 kilograms of dynamite, a quantity of other explosives and dynamite bombs. There have been 40 arrests in connection with the discovery including the chief of an important revolutionary committee.

The Daily News states that it hears that the gravest anxiety exists at Constantinople, and that the deposition of the sultan is seriously discussed. The Sheik-ol-Islam, says The Daily News remains at the Yildiz palace, nominally as the sultan's guest, but really as a prisoner. The ambassadors have telegraphed for instructions, in view of the events, which are regarded imminent.

A dispatch to The Daily Telegraph from Constantinople says: Russia's attitude has completely changed, and the concert of the powers is now really and effectually causing the sultan uneasiness.

#### Fate Worse Than Death.

Habana, Oct. 30.—Montalvo, an oculist, and a member of the local central autonomist committee; a painter, named Juan Onaghten; Antonio Escobar, the editor of La Discussion, and 185 members of a secret association were today sent to the island of Fernando Po, off the west coast of Africa, one of the penal settlements of Spain. La Discussion was recently suppressed by the government for printing a leading editorial, of which Escobar was the author, commenting upon the suggestion of the joint intervention of the United States and Mexico, with the view of settling the Cuban question.

#### Grand Jury Acts In Fuller Case.

Boston, Oct. 30.—The grand jury came into the United States circuit court yesterday with its indictments in various cases, the principal of which was the Herbert Fuller case. Thomas A. Bram, who is charged with the murder of Captain Nash, Mrs. Nash and the mate, Blomberg, was indicted, but, owing to the absence of Judge Colt, the date on which he will be allowed to plead has not been announced, but it will probably be some day next week.

#### Favorite Knocked Out.

Buffalo, Oct. 30.—At the Empire Athletic club, last night, Stanton Abbott of England and Matt Matthews of New York were down for 15 rounds, but in the seventh Abbott went down before a stiff left hander. He came up before the gong sounded 10, but got another in the face, and went on his back, where he stayed. Abbott was the favorite in the betting.

#### No Comparison.

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# A GAS EXPLOSION

## Which Killed at Least Six Persons.

### CAUSE OF THE EXPLOSION IS UNKNOWN.

### The Men Wore Safety Lamps at Work.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 30.—A terrible explosion of gas occurred in No. 3 mine of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal company, in South Wilkesbarre, between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Six men are known to be dead and two injured. It is not known how many men were in the mine at the time, but 12 are reported missing, and it is believed all of these have perished. The dead, who have been brought to the surface, are: William R. Jones, fire boss, married, with a family; John Joseph, assistant mine foreman, wife and five children; Thomas Owens, miner, married, and family; William Lacey, rock miner, married, and family; James Herron, laborer, married, and family; Joseph Worth, fire boss, married, and family.

The cause of the explosion will, possibly never be known. The mine was idle yesterday. Usually there are from 400 to 500 men employed in the mine. Had they all been at work when the explosion occurred, the loss of life would have been fearful. The only men in the mine yesterday afternoon were the company hands and fire bosses, who were at work in the rock tunnel, changing the air course. The place was very gaseous, and the men worked with safety lamps. It is believed the gas was ignited by a blast.

## THE KAISER MURDER.

### Husband Is Now Suspected of Having Committed the Deed.

Norristown, Pa., Oct. 30.—Charles O. Kaiser has been placed under arrest, charged with the murder of his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Kaiser were supposed to have been waylaid by highwaymen Wednesday evening. Mrs. Kaiser was shot dead, and Kaiser received a wound in his arm. Suspicion pointed to Kaiser. Detectives made a search yesterday, and found the supposed stolen watch and pocketbook hidden under a stone, near where the robbery was supposed to have been committed. A 32-caliber revolver, with two chambers empty, was found about 60 yards away. Kaiser and his wife are said to have quarreled only a short time before they took the fatal drive. About two weeks ago Kaiser had his wife's life insured for $3000.

## TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Liberal candidates for the Hungarian chamber of deputies are winning.

Oscar D. Cheney, a leading physician at Haverhill, Mass., aged 55, is dead.

Albert E. Bradford, instructor of music in the Everett (Mass.) schools, is dead.

American wool shippers are advised to send their wool to England in better condition.

Daniel McCullen, aged 45, of Wayland, Mass., was struck by a shifting engine and instantly killed at Boston.

A large stock barn, belonging to ex-Lieutenant Governor Wardwell, was burned at Bristol, R. I. Loss, $10,000.

George Grenier, aged 17, was thrown from a team at Lewiston, Me., and received injuries which resulted in his death.

Charles O. Kaiser, who said his wife was killed by highway robbers at Norristown, Pa., has been arrested for her murder.

Frank D. Bunce, aged 43, manager of the Lyceum theater, New York, died suddenly in the office of the theater from heart disease.

E. W. Nellis, a draughtsman, of Goshen, N. Y., was found dead in his bed, with a bullet hole in his head and a pistol in his hand.

A new shoe factory will be opened at Belfast, Me., by Legro & Spaulding. Only local people will be employed and taught the business.

John B. S. Brazeau, editor of the La Jean Baptiste, a French paper, of Pawtucket, R. I., is charged with sending illegal matter through the mails.

The Madrid Imparcial has opened a subscription in aid of Spanish soldiers wounded in Cuba. The queen regent has contributed 10,000 pesetas to the fund.

The Massachusetts supreme court ordered that the award of $125,430 be paid by the town of West Springfield, for the property of the West Springfield Aqueduct company.

The Massachusetts supreme court dismissed the petition for writ of prohibition against Judge Fuller of the Bristol insolvency court and C. F. Worthen, assignee of the estate of Captain Henry C. Hathaway of New Bedford.

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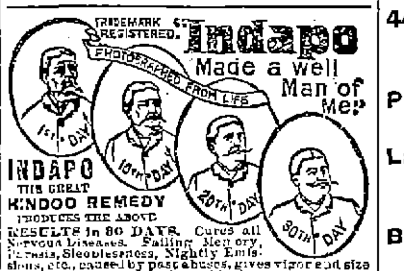


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# 5 O'CLOCK

# FROM THE SCENE OF BATTLE

## Bryan Returns to Chicago and Enthusiastically Received.

## Frewen Predicts Bryan's Election—Cockran Gets a Rough Reception and is Abusive—Democratic Leaders Send Out Warning Against Buying Votes—McKinley Still Visited by Excursions.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—In an interview, Moreton Frewen, the English bimetallist, who is now here and who, early this week, wrote the London Times that Bryan would probably be elected, said: "You see, if English investors in American securities are prepared in advance for Bryan's election, there will be no panic. I prefer to prepare these English investors rather than to have them wake up a week from today and find he is elected. If they are not prepared, and Bryan is elected, there would be infinite disaster to the English holders of American securities.

"I may be, and probably am, very wrong in my conclusions as to Bryan's election, but still I believe I am right in preparing the English investors in American securities for this election. I saw Mr. Bryan and told him that, in my opinion, he could not overcome the forces against him. Mr. Bryan replied: 'There is only one way to overcome that, and that is by awakening a national sentiment. The people must be frightened—that is the way to overthrow the gold standard.'"

"What do English investors in American securities think about the matter?"

"I do not know," said Mr. Frewen. "English investors are like a flock of sheep, easily stampeded one way or the other."

"On what information do you base your opinion of Bryan's election?"

"I have talked with Senator Jones and Senator Teller," rejoined Mr. Frewen.

"Whom have you talked with on the other side?"

"I do not care to say."

"If you were a citizen of America, would you vote for Mr. Bryan?" was asked.

"I would vote for free silver," replied Mr. Frewen.

"Would you vote for Mr. Bryan?" again Mr. Frewen was asked.

"I am not prepared to say," said Mr. Frewen.

**What Leaders Say.**

Three distinguished men, Hanna, Jones and Butler, made prophecies yesterday. Their prognostications were.

Mark Hanna (Rep.)—We are closing up our ranks for the final charge next Tuesday. The indications for an overwhelming victory become stronger every day as election draws nearer.

James K. Jones (Dem.) The fight is over, and was practically won some days ago. We are waiting with perfect serenity and confidence the results which will be declared when the polls close next Tuesday.

Marion Butler (Pop.)—I am absolutely certain of the election of Bryan. Michigan, Indiana and Minnesota are for him, without any doubt. We shall probably carry this state, but even if we do lose it, we shall win. I feel certain of the result.

Chairman Hanna yesterday expressed the most absolute confidence in McKinley's success. Mr. Hanna was not prepared to issue any official statement, but he says he expects that Major McKinley will receive at least 300 votes in the electoral college, and it is not uncertain that he will get 310. He expects that there will be a large vote from the Gold Democrats in various parts of the country, especially in the eastern and middle western states.

Senator Butler, chairman of the Populist national committee, was, with Vice Chairman Washburn, in consultation with Chairman Jones, of the Democratic committee, much of the time yesterday. They went over the details of the campaign, at considerable length, together. They authorize no statement, but they agreed in classing Minnesota, Michigan and Indiana as certain for Bryan. Much time was spent in discussing the aspect as affected by the Populist vote, and Senator Jones was assured by Messrs. Butler and Washburn that that vote would be practically unanimous for Bryan. "It is," said Senator Butler, "in much better shape than we could have hoped for at the beginning of the campaign. There are, to be sure, a few states in which fusion has not been arranged, but there has been no failure in any state where Mr. Bryan's chances could be imperilled by failure." Jones was also assured that there need be no apprehension that Watson would do anything to imperil Bryan's chances. His much discussed letter of acceptance will not be given to the public. Senator Butler will not give it out, and it is understood that Watson has also agreed to withhold it.

**Back In Chicago.**

After a hard day's campaigning, William J. Bryan returned to Chicago last night, arriving at the Northwestern railroad station at 7:15 p. m. A crowd of several hundred people met him at the depot, and cheered lustily as he left his car. Mr. Bryan had dined before reaching Chicago, and was met at the train by the reception committee, which was to guide him about the city. He entered a carriage at the station, and was driven directly to the hall, at which he made his first address. The nominee made eight speeches on the North and Northwest sides. At each meeting he was enthusiastically greeted by large crowds.

### COULDN'T SCARE HIM.

**Bourke Cockran Boldly Faced Would-Be Disturbers at Norfolk.**

Norfolk, Oct. 30.—Great preparations were made yesterday for the speech of Bourke Cockran. Armory hall had put on gala dress. A stand had been erected on the west side of the hall, draped with American flags, as was also the western gallery front, the flags being borrowed from the navy yard, for this and other like occasions of this campaign. At 2 p. m., to the strains of "Hail to the Chief," from the Naval Post band, Mr. Cockran entered the hall, escorted by the gold standard leaders in this city. He was greeted with cheers, followed by cheers for Bryan and Sewall, and for Young and McKinley. As Mr. Cockran moved to the front of the stage, he was greeted with mingled cheers and hisses. The latter demonstration. Mr. Cockran made use of, and he remarked: "I never object to Populistic arguments, and these shouts are among the best of them I have heard. Populists can't wait for success before they begin their establishment of disorder. I stand here to oppose the wrong done our party by those men"—here he was interrupted again by cheers for Bryan, and some one cried: "Put him out."

"No," said Mr. Cockran, "leave him here as an object lesson."

Later, asking "What do the Populists propose to do?" he waved his hand toward the door, where the crowd that now filled the hall, probably numbering fully 6000, was most dense, and remarked: "The disorderly attempts to suppress free speech in this campaign, as shown by these ruffians, is indication."

Hisses, groans and cheers greeted this sentiment. The hostile demonstration had become so strong that he could not go on further. Mr. Cockran added fuel to the fire by interspersing the statements he made, which many met with derision, by references like these: "Bryan and the crowd of lunatics and ruffians who follow him;" "Every laborer will understand me; no Populist can;" "Let them alone, they are simply illustrating their platform, which stands for anarchy and riot."

Here the uproar became deafening, and from all sides were heard "What of slave-holders?" "How about that Madison square speech?"

Mr. Cockran said that he had been misrepresented by the press as to his Madison Square Garden speech, and that only a few lines of what he said had been quoted in the papers. The speaker said he had voted in congress to repeal the election law. Continuing, he said: "During a few years past the south has been disgraced by a number of wretches who have pretended to represent her, but Tillman no more represents the south than do the ruffians of this audience who have disturbed me."

Again the uproar stopped him, and the voice of Mayor Mayo was heard, commanding order. While the latter was speaker, Mr. Cockran waited. Mayor Mayo was cheered to the echo for his defense of good order, and made his way to the platform, where he apologized for the interruption. Mr. Cockran accepted his apologies, but stated that there was no need for his action, as the people recognized the source from which the disturbance came. The meeting then went on smoothly, and with a grand oratorical finish. Mr. Cockran ended his speech. Mr. Cockran left for New York last night.

**Talk of Purchasing Ballots.**

Washington, Oct. 30.—The following address to voters was issued from the Democratic congressional committee headquarters last night: "In the preliminary battle of the people against the plutocracy, the people have already won. In spite of an expenditure of money so large that the civilized world stands appalled at its magnitude, today a large majority of the people of the United States are in open revolt against the merciless gold standard, and the domination of the country by the syndicated wealth of Europe and America, interested in securing or preventing legislation and controlling the execution of the laws in their interest. All that is necessary to secure the registering of the people's will is to see that every voter comes to the polls and cast an unpurchased ballot. Many of the millions collected by the syndicate have been reserved for election day. Beaten at every point, the last resort of money is to buy the ballot of the voter, by purchasing his absence from the polls, or to coerce his vote by intimidation. To prevent this is possible, if every patriot will do his duty. Every member of a club must go to the polls early in the morning of election day, cast his ballot, and remain there until the polls close, and the result is announced. Take care that every voter gets to the polls and casts his vote. Note down the name of every absent voter. Let it be known that the citizen who fails to vote, unless prevented by extreme sickness, has either been purchased by the money of the corruptionists, or is otherwise unworthy to be called a citizen. All signs indicate the overwhelming triumph of the people, and to no organizations is more credit due for this than to the clubs, the people's organizations, created for no selfish purpose, and battling for the liberties of the people, as in the days of their founder, the illustrious author of the Declaration of Independence."

Summer prices on coal still prevail at Rourke & Sullivan's, 984 Gorham street. Telephone, 556-3.

## WILL NOT BE COERCED

### "OLD TROOP" HILL ENTERED A STRONG PROTEST.

**When Capt. Thompson Introduced Politics Into 33d Reunion.—Samuel Canning Says He Will Not Be Coerced Into Voting For McKinley—The Generals' Party Rapped Hard—"Our Country is Not in Danger," Says Comrade.**

No more pleasant gathering could have been desired than the thirteenth annual reunion of the 33rd Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry in Memorial hall yesterday.

The old comrades were making merry rehearsing old stories, and indulging in a general good time till one of their number Capt. J. P. Thompson, precipitated a lively discussion by introducing politics into the gathering.

Capt. J. P. Thompson, who has been a strong Harrison and McKinley man, called attention in a short address to the effect that Pres. Grant, Hayes, Garfield and Harrison had been in command of armies in which the 33rd Massachusetts regiment served, and it seemed to him that another comrade, Maj. McKinley was to be elected president.

Capt. Thompson then requested comrades who favored Maj. McKinley's election to say "aye." There was a generous response to the request, and when Capt. Thompson called for the "nays" Capt. J. E. Hill, president of the association, said "no."

"Old Troop" Hill was on his mettle in an instant and said in a reunion of comrades he did not think a matter in which they might politically differ should be brought up.

Capt. Thompson said it was only as comrades that he desired to have the expression, not as members of any political party.

Samuel Canning of Boston spoke on the subject as follows: "I also object to the union generals travelling in the west as a party instructing war veterans how to vote. I am going to vote for Maj. McKinley, but I object to anyone being coerced or instructed in the manner I have mentioned. I vote as I please and I believe in allowing other veterans to do so. Our country is not in danger, no matter who is elected president next Tuesday."

Capt. Thompson said anyone who shouldered a musket in the late war will not be coerced into voting for anyone.

### THE CATHOLIC LYCEUM

**Elected Its First Officers Last Evening.**

The first election of officers in the Catholic Lyceum occurred last evening and was very close and exciting, the successful candidates for the important offices winning by only one vote.

The officers chosen are: President, Michael J. Donohue; vice president, Jas. T. O'Hearn; spiritual director, Rev. Richard S. Burke; recording secretary, John J. Murphy; financial secretary, Jas. Brown; treasurer, John P. Carley; board of trustees, John J. Lonergan, Daniel S. O'Brien, Edward J. O'Donnell, John Mahoney and Jos. J Hanlon.

Rev. Fr. Burke announced that he will present a gold medal to the member who brings in the most new members up to March 17.

The building committee reported that while they could not report finally, they were able to say that a lot had been selected and is now being considered by the committee who are being advised by Rev. Michael O'Brien, and the spiritual director, Rev. Fr. Burke.

The installation of officers will occur at the next meeting, which will be held next Thursday evening.

### GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT

**In the New St. Jean Baptiste Church—Other Events Coming.**

A delightful French soiree was held in the new St. Jean Baptiste church last evening for the purpose of disposing of the miniature statues of Rev. Fr. Garin.

Rev. Fr. Forget, O. M. I., had the affair in charge, hence its great success. The Olympian orchestra furnished music and 280 of the statuettes were disposed of at prices ranging from $2 to $4.

On next Wednesday night a grand entertainment for the business men and clerks in the leading stores will be given while on Thursday evening an unetrainment and fair will be held.

### BOWLING NEWS.

At the Highland club last night, Capt. Dore's team defeated Capt. Abel's bowlers 2321 to 2256.

Team Eight of the Vesper club defeated Team Nine 2290 to 2148.

Les Miserables went to Lexington last night and defeated the Old Belfry club 2456 to 2402.

**He Would be Elected.**

If there was a vote taken in this city to see who is the most popular meat and provision dealer, it would probably be overwhelmingly in favor of S. P. Pike, the proprietor of the Banner market, and all on account of the great bargains the people have been getting at his store since the big storm sale.

The special sale today and tomorrow will be on chickens. Think of it, only ten cents a pound; and bind quarter of lamb ten cents a pound; and every other thing in the market in the same proportion. Call at the Banner market and order your Sunday dinner. Cor. Central and Prescott streets, S. P. Pike, proprietor.

**French Rally.**

The French republicans held a rally in Huntington hall last evening, and previous to the meeting the Napoleon Guards marched to the hall, acting as escort for the speakers.

The meeting was addressed by George W. Poore, Aime Gauthier, F. P. Rivet, Lawyer Monette and Alfred Bonneau.

Mr. Edward Everett Adams opened his 14th season as a teacher of music in Lowell by a musicale and reception at his studio in Odd Fellows' temple last night.

The Burkes held a pleasant social in their hall last evening, and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Reform club held a grand box party in Columbia hall.

Mr. Charles O'Connor, the leading artist of the Boston Crane company, is working in the Sun building. He is an eminent portrait artist.

Meyers, Myer & Hartman of New York, sold their entire stock of Collins' mills Kersey overcoats to the Merrimack Clothing company today. Will be on sale Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

**Burn Wilson's Coal.**

Do you keep a horse or cow? You can buy the best of grain, hay and bedding for either of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street. Try a barrel of his flour.

## AWFUL CYCLONE

### Sweeps Oklahoma and Portions of Mississippi.

### DESOLATION MARKS ITS WINDING PATH.

### Many Persons Killed and Houses Demolished.

New Orleans, Oct. 30.—About 4:30 yesterday afternoon, a cyclone struck this city on the river front, just above Peniston street, and swept over a distance of about 1½ miles, or 30 blocks, from Peniston street to Rober street, the track of the storm being about 1500 feet wide, from the river to Annunciation street. The first building damaged was the Independence oil mill, situated at the head of Peniston street. It was unroofed, and the building and contents damaged to the amount of $6000. Hundreds of buildings in the track of the storm were damaged, many being partially unroofed and chimneys prostrated, trees uprooted and fences blown down. The storm-swept section of the city was in darkness last night, owing to the prostration of electric light wires. At first a number of lives were reported lost, but so far these reports have not been verified. The property loss is estimated at $100,000.

At 12 o'clock, a terrific wind and rain storm reached Lake St. Joseph. Telegraph wires were torn down, and a most unsatisfactory report reaches here from the lower part of Tensas parish, where the tornado originated. An immense brick gin was practically destroyed. The course of the storm was from southwest to northeast, striking Bruen lake at Locust Land, tearing down and destroying the public bridge over Choctaw bayou. Twelve cabins on Locust Land were completely demolished, and one colored woman was instantly killed and several were blown into the lake. The next place reached by the unwelcome visitor was Johnson's Bend, on Lake St. Joseph, where the scene is one of desolation. A ginhouse and three barns, containing corn, were destroyed. Six cabins were blown to pieces. The tenants living in the houses had their clothing and household effects blown away. The public road on Lake St. Joseph front is covered with fragments of houses, furniture, clothing, cotton, corn and household effects. There were two deaths of colored men from lightning, and two colored women and a baby were drowned in Lake Bruen, where they were carried by the fury of the elements.

**In Mississippi.**

Vicksburg, Miss., Oct. 30.—Tensas parish was frightfully afflicted by a tornado yesterday. Six negroes were killed, and there was great destruction of buildings on various plantations. Seven houses were destroyed in the town of St. Joseph. The parish was generally visited, and full details are not obtainable at present.

A terrific cyclone passed through the eastern part of Lafayette county at 4 o'clock, demolishing farmhouses and uprooting trees of all sizes. W. V. Sullivan, Democratic candidate for congress, had been speaking at Tula, and was returning to Oxford, expecting to speak at Abbeville last night. He and T. J. Harkins were caught in the storm's path, the wind sweeping down upon them without warning. They were driving a double team buggy. The wind lifted the vehicle, horses and all, and carried them 200 yards. The buggy was completely demolished by falling timber, but neither men nor horses were seriously hurt. The storm passed through the outskirts of the town of Delay, and demolished several houses. The extent of the damage cannot be given, but no deaths have, as yet, been reported. Not a tree was left standing in the cyclone's path.

The colored Baptist church at Coffeyville, which was used as a schoolhouse, was blown down upon the teachers and 75 pupils. Six of the children were considerably bruised, one having a limb broken.

**Oklahoma Gets It.**

Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 30.—A cyclone swept over a stretch of country, about 20 miles east of here, devastating a district several miles long, and probably 100 yards wide. The Mitchell postoffice and store were lifted bodily into the air, carried 100 yards, and dashed to the earth. The building was smashed into splinters, and Postmaster M. T. McMullin and wife, who lived in the building, were killed. Two sticks were driven through Mullin's skull, but there was not a scratch on the body of his wife. The farmhouse of Abner Jones was also wrecked, and many smaller buildings were destroyed, trees uprooted and crops ruined. Rumors are current that the same storm did frightful damage in Payne county, and that several persons were killed there, but no particulars are obtainable. There was a tremendous fall of rain here, and considerable damage was done by washouts and the carrying off of crops.

**Conclave of Knights Templar.**

Boston, Oct. 30.—The 90th annual conclave of the grand commandery of Knights Templar and appendant orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island was held here yesterday. Grand Recorder Rowell's report showed a satisfactory condition of affairs throughout the jurisdiction. There are 46 subordinate commanderies. The membership in the jurisdiction Sept. 30, 1896, was 11,789, a net gain of 678 for the year. The average membership of the subordinate commanderies in this jurisdiction is the largest of any jurisdiction in the United States. The report of Grand Treasurer Upham showed an improved condition of the finances. Grand Commander Richards' address showed that the relations between the commanderies are cordial. The application for a new commandery at Gardner was granted. The petitioners for a new commandery at Marlboro were given leave to withdraw.

**Preparing For Centennial.**

Albany, Oct. 30.—The governor yesterday appointed a commission of four to arrange for a suitable commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the establishment of Albany as the capital and legislative seat of the state. The legislature appropriated $2500, and authorized the city of Albany to expend $5000 for the purpose.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

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1,000 CELEBRATED CAMPBELL KERSEY OVERCOATS

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C. F. Callahan of Holyoke,
Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan, of Lawrence.

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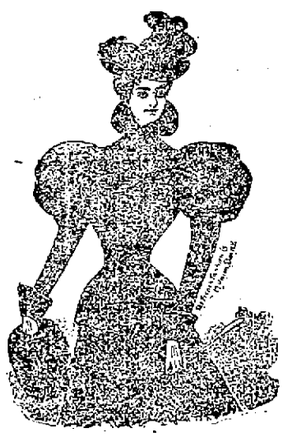

MANUFACTURES YESTERDAY

50 Black and Blue Jackets heavily braided fine goods for only $6.49.

75 Black and Blue Jackets, new velvet collar lined throughout, cannot be equalled nowhere for $10.00 our price $7.50.

1 lot of Black, Double Capes, full sweep fur trimmed and ornamented with braid and buttons only $4.98.

An extensive line of sample Jackets and Capes at very low prices.

Fur Collarettes in Martin, Alaska seal and Krimmer Electric seal, etc., at prices to make you wonder—but they are the seal, not imitation.

50 dozen wrappers, flannelettes, etc., for 50c., 75c., 98c., $1.25.

11 BRIDGE STREET.

The Consumers' Brewing Co.'s
EXPORT BEER
Bottled and Steamed at the Brewery.
An Excellent Tonic
For Sale by All Local Dealers.

IF YOU WANT A CASE
Of the Leading Brands of
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TELEPHONE
J. H. RILEY,
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16 TO 1.
You will be pleased if your watch and jewelery repairing done at Frost's, 190 Central street

R. J. MOWER,
PRACTICAL
WATCHMAKER and OPTICIAN
285 Central Street.

BACHELLER, DUMAS & CO.
Paper Ruling, Book and Pamphlet Binding. Blank Books a Specialty.
45 CHURCH STREET.

WANT COLUMN.

LOST—A coon kitten, black, bushy tail, small white star on breast. Finder will receive reward by returning to 63 Nesmith street.

SECURE EMPLOYMENT—Learn dress cutting and work for us. Position given to competent pupils. Room 53, Central block.

TENEMENT TO LET—Small lower tenement No. 11 James street. Inquire of Mrs. A. B. Chalifoux, with J. C. Chalifoux, Central street.

FOUND—A ladies' pocketbook containing money. Owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply at Waverly house.

WANTED.—Thousands of mechanics of all kinds to use "Saprosline" for cleaning their soiled and calloused hands. Ask grocers for it.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—300 shares stock in active company for sale at $4 per share, must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1804, Boston.

WANTED—Furniture, carriages to store; at 183 Chelmsford street.

FOR SALE—In Centralville new cottage house, 4200 feet of land. Price $1600. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter; experienced; mercantile or legal work; can give good recommendation; also good references. Address R, sun office, Lowell, Mass.

FOR SALE—Near Stevens street, new two story house, 5000 feet of land. This is a bargain. Price $3000. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOR SALE—In Belvidere, good cottage house of seven rooms, near mills, good lot of land. Price $1350. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—Your child to have Rosy Cheeks, Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Allan Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c., prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

FOR SALE—In N. H., large farm of 100 acres. Large house, two good barns, lots of fruit, good sugar orchard, lots of wood and timber. If you want a farm call and see. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $18 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelop, Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Law's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 471 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.

New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 76 houses have been built in the last 8 months, and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay, choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 13 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.

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Choice Teas, Coffees and Spices
Try our "BIG TWELVE" brand of flour, the best in the city.

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CHARLES H. COSGROVE, Room 16, Hildreth Building. Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

J. M. MINGSBURY, No. 378 Bridge Street. Meats and Provisions. (Successor to Strout & Kingsbury.)

PHILIP J. FARLEY, Room 11, Barristers' Hall. Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

JOSEPH W. LEACH, Room 12, Shedd's Block. Pianist and Teacher of Singing.

JOHN W. McEVOY, 137 Central St., Opp. American House, Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

COURTNEY & COURTNEY, Masonic Block. Counsellors-at-Law. William F. Courtney. Henry S. Courtney.

SMOKE OLD 64 CIGAR
H. BOOT, Manufacturer.

LOTHROP & CUNNINGHAM, 182 Merrimack Street. Photographers. Crayons, Pastels and Water Colors a specialty. All work guaranteed.

W. A. LEW, 49 John Street. Clothing Cleansed, Dyed and Pressed. Orders received for cleaning, dying and pressing, promptly and neatly executed.

SCHOOL SHOES
For Boys and Girls
Shoes that will stand the strain of HARD WEAR
AT EASY PRICES.
EAGLE SHOE STORE
215 DUTTON STREET.
J. J. LONERGAN. - - Prop.

FOUND—That after 8260 cakes of "Saprosline" shine" guaranteed to clean silver, plant brass, etc., and wash hands to satisfaction. No one cake returned yet. Ask your grocers and druggists for it.

## THE WEATHER.

Sun rises—6:16; sets, 4:39.
Length of day—10h. 23m.
Moon rises—morn.
Full sea—5:15 a.m.; 5:45 p. m.
Forecast for New England: Generally fair during the day, with southerly to westerly winds.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Always wins, Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

Mrs. H. C. Scarlet returned to her husband in Tewksbury yesterday afternoon.

The Lewiston, Me., water board inspected the driven well plants in this city yesterday.

Special bargains in rough cloth jackets, kersey Jackets, fur, cloth and astrachan capes, mackintoshes, etc. See Chris Holmes' ad.

A horse owned by Dr. J. C. Irish stepped on a live wire on Nesmith street at about one o'clock Thursday and was burned so badly that it will probably die.

Wm. Burns, while walking down Lakeview avenue last evening, slipped on the sidewalk and broke his left ankle. He was carried to his home on Llewellyn street, where Dr. Meagher attended to his injury.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mercier celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage. In the morning they attended mass at St. Joseph's church and renewed their nuptial vows. Rev. Fr. Amyot, O. M. I., officiated. In the afternoon and evening a reception was held at their home 183 Mt. Hope street, Pawtucketville.

**Hear the Hon. George Fred Williams, C. F. Callahan and Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan at Huntington hall Saturday night.**

22 lbs. Sugar for $1.00.

Again we greet you on sugar. We are selling 22 lbs. of the best granulated sugar for $1.00, and we will deliver free to our tea and coffee customers. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

**Biliousness**

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

**Hood's**

insomnia, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach,

**Pills**

rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

**$65** GARDNER, 20 Prescott street, has a good Upright Piano, seven octaves for $65.00—Friday—It's just what you want.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

## CITY CHARTER REVISION

### A MANIFESTO ISSUED BY THE FINANCIAL COMMISSION.

**The Benefits to be Derived From the Adoption of the New Charter—Every Friend of Good Government Should Vote For It.**

To the Voters of the City of Lowell:

You will be called upon at the election to be held next Tuesday to vote "Yes" or "No" on a proposed amendment to the City Charter, known as Chapter 415, Acts of 1896. Your careful and thoughtful attention is respectfully invited thereto.

It would seem unnecessary to present further reasons why there should be a change in the financial methods of our local government. Our report as members of a Finance Commission, created by the City Government, and the several investigations had since by His Honor, the Mayor, and the City Council, must have convinced all that while there were a favored few, the great body of our citizens were paying a great deal more for what they received from the Government than they should, and were not deriving the benefits from the Government that they were entitled to. In fact, we think it has been clearly shown that there is a positive waste of at least $400,-000, each year and that this waste adds to the rent of every house or room occupied, to the cost of every coat or meal purchased, to everything we wear or consume. It is equal to $4.50 for each man, woman and child in Lowell, or $25 for every registered voter, or eight times the total poll tax assessed.

It appears perfectly feasible to reduce our tax rate below that of any city of the state and yet have public baths, branch libraries, technical schools, modern streets, ample sewerage, recreation grounds for children and many other conveniences and benefits that we now have to go without that would make for the happiness of all the people and for the reputation of the city and still pay the laborer the fair wage.

The public and the press with remarkable unanimity commended our selection for the duty assigned us. We endeavored to so discharge the trust thus imposed on us as to merit that confidence.

We investigated the finances of the city in a non-partisan spirit and not one fact we presented has been successfully challenged.

Whether we have proposed the best remedies for defects disclosed you are to judge.

They are such as commend themselves to us with our experience in business life. The method of purchase of supplies proposed and of guarding, appropriating and disbursing the revenues are such as are observed in well ordered governments, and such as have been incorporated into the charter of the cities that show the most rapid progress in population and wealth. They are not experimental but long tried and well grounded features of government.

The main objects of these amendments are to fix and bring out clearly the responsibility of each member of the City Government to the end that you may at each annual election pass intelligently upon the records of those who submit themselves for re-election. The purpose is to make government by the people more effective and more beneficent and thus perpetuate it. That those for whose personal benefit the revenues of the city are so largely diverted, and those who seek a like pull at the City Treasury will work untiringly to defeat these amendments, may be taken for granted though they will hardly give their real reason for their opposition. It remains to be seen whether the great body of voters will as clearly see and work and vote for their interest; we are confident that they will.

The amendments were published by order of the City Council in the papers of Saturday, October 17. Copies can be had of the undersigned. All inquiries will be answered by letter or through the press.

A. G. CUMNOCK,
E. M. TUCKE,
J. L. CHALIFOUX,
E. B. CONANT,
JAMES T. SMITH.

Les Miserable bowling alleys and billiard hall now open. East Merrimack street.

**It will go... Right to the spot**

Ayer's Hair Vigor will go right to that bald spot and begin to bring the hair back.

**It Makes Hair Grow.**

### Flag Day at Merrimack Clothing Co.

There is to be a grand exhibition at the Merrimack Clothing Co.'s store tomorrow. This wide awake company is always on the alert for anything that will benefit the public and here is where they have made the greatest hit in their business experience.

Having heard that a great manufacturer of clothing in New York had got into a financial difficulty and had to go to the wall and that his mammoth stock of overcoats must be disposed of in bulk, regardless of cost, Mr. Daniel S. O'Brien, representing the company, made an offer for the entire lot and tomorrow is the day for plunks at the Merrimack.

For the small sum of seven dollars and fifty cents, every man that wants a first-class all-wool overcoat can get one. You may never get a chance like this again. Join the procession and be happy all winter.

## LIVING TORTURE.

**Painful Condition of a Lowell Citizen and His Relief.**

A disease which is accompanied with sharp pains at every turn wears upon the patient so terribly that life becomes nothing but a torture. Misery, misery, year after year, is enough to utterly discourage one and wish it was all over. Neither can we blame such an invalid for all the morbid thoughts of life that may arise. Mr. F. D. Sawyer, residing at 118 Walker street, has undoubtedly a keen recollection of the tortures of Kidney disease, and he is glad it is but a recollection, as anyone who had suffered ten years, would be. He has for seventeen years driven a soda wagon, and the constant jolting and jumping off the wagon and on, produced a terrible condition of the kidneys. He has been so bad at times as to be utterly unable to do a thing. He has doctored, taken many remedies, worn plasters and plasters, and all to no real good. Often he was quite unable to dress himself. His nights were sleepless from pain, and it was impossible to find any position of ease in bed. Added to all this came urinary trouble to lend its misery to the general woe. A few weeks ago he had an unusually bad attack, and having read what Doan's Kidney Pills were doing right here in Lowell, he got a box of Ellingwood & Co., Merrimack and Central streets. He adds: "They surprised me. I have not felt as I do now in years, and I want to give you a strong testimonial in gratitude to the Pills."

For sale by all dealers—price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

# NIBLOCK'S

### 133-137 MERRIMACK ST.

TO INTRODUCE our new departments we shall offer values Friday and Saturday that cannot be duplicated. These are not old goods marked down, but all new this season.

### HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

20 dozen Ladies' two-thread Woolen Ribbed Hose at 25c., this would be honest value at 40c. Do not miss it.

1 small lot of Gent's Hose in Camel Hair and black at 21c.

### KID GLOVES DEPARTMENT.

We have just received our Highland Gloves for street wear, we shall sell this beauty at $1.25. For style and quality it cannot be equalled. Every pair warranted. Ask to see it.

1 lot Cashmere Gloves at 25c.

1 lot Cashmere Gloves at 50c.

These goods were manufactured to sell for 1 3 more than prices we are quoting for Friday and Saturday.

### RIBBON DEPARTMENT.

Remember we are the leading Millinery Ribbon Store. Neck Bows, made of Fancy ribbon, at 45c. Something new and stylish, made for Friday and Saturday Sale.

Ladies wishing the new Moire Sash Ribbon will find a complete line in our Ribbon Dept.

### LACES.

Do not pass this department; it is to be found on our second floor. You will be delighted with the display, and ever after when you wish to buy FINE LACES by the yard or made-up articles call where you can find the choicest selected stock in the city.

### COTTON UNDERWEAR.

1 lot of Night Robes at 90c. This value must be seen to be appreciated.

Remember custom orders taken in this department at a slight advance over regular prices.

### SMALL WARE AND NOTIONS.

1 lot superior Volveteen and Braid Corp Binding, 8c.

1 lot Hump Hooks Jap and Silver, 9c. box.

1 lot Mohair Braid, 3c. piece.

1 lot Basting Cotton, best quality, 45c. dozen.

1 lot warranted Shields, 3 pairs for 15c.

Always in stock a fine selected line of Silk Gimps. Ladies' and Children's line Supporters, Scissors, and everything appertaining to a first class Notion Dept.

Colgate's Toilet Articles in great variety.

Several other articles of interest will be placed on our counters for Friday and Saturday sales, which we have no space to mention. Remember all goods sold by us are warranted.

# NIBLOCK'S

Milliners and Ladies' Furnishers.

# THE BON MARCHE

# FOUR DAYS BEFORE ELECTION

## And This Saturday Oct. 31st, 1896.

Will be a Day long remembered in Lowell and in fact all over the country. It is to be

# FLAG DAY

Everybody invited to throw to the breeze the Stars and Stripes. Old Glory will no doubt be unfurled over all the United States and what better incentive could be given to Americans than this to vote for the best interests of their country?

The Bon Marche is for peace and prosperity and "where peace and rest can never dwell prosperity never comes---that comes to all."

**Saturday is Also to be Remembered on Account of**

# Millinery and Cloak Bargains

## MILLINERY

Purchases of large quantities (such as no other dealer in Lowell would dare to buy) enables us to throw out some tempting values in ready trimmed Walking Hats for Saturday.

1 lot 750 trimmed Walking Hats 25c. Another lot of as many more trimmed Sailors and Walking Hats, Saturday 98c

Special low prices on trimmed Hats for this day's trade. We invite all the ladies to call and examine and bear in mind it is no trouble for salespeople to show goods.

Our stock of Millinery Trimmings is replete in every detail and the prices were never so low.

We have feathers at 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 19c, 25 and 39c, which we call rare bargains and cannot be fairly matched in Lowell.

The Mourning Department in our Millinery needs only to be mentioned, it is the only thoroughly equipped Mourning Stock in the city.

## MILLINERY

(CONTINUED.)

Children's Hats and Trimmings have received unusual attention this season, and why not, the little tots ought to be in style same as the big folks. The prices also are little in this branch.

Come and see.

## CLOAKS.

The Cloak business with us is quite an item, each season we carry a line second to none in Boston and twice as large as any in the city.

Through our endeavors as cloak merchants it has become possible for the people of Lowell to buy elegant garments for five dollars and upwards.

MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE, SALE OF COLLINS' MILL KERSEY OVERCOATS, NINE O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING.

**TO CELEBRATE FLAG DAY**

**Oct. 31st,**

We will sell CAMPAIGN HANDKERCHIEFS at 10c.

## Boys' Suits

The B. O. E.,
Best on Earth for Boys,

Tells the whole story—'tis a school suit, all-wool, double seat and Knees, riveted buttons, seams warranted not to come apart, made of strong, serviceable materials.

**$2.50**

No More. No Less.

## Reefers

Blue Chinchilla, neatly made and trimmed extra deep, sailor collar, on the small sizes, and velvet collar for the large boys, special value.

**$3.00**

**BOYS**

Have you entered the contest for the swell Dayton $100 Bicycle to be given by the Merrimack Clothing Co., to the boy making the most words out of the letters in the name "Knockabout?"

BE ON HAND SATURDAY MORNING AT NINE O'CLOCK. MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE. COLLINS' MILL COATS.

# FLAG DAY AT THE MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO., OCTOBER 31

## COATS FOR THE PEOPLE AT MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE.

# GIGANTIC OVERCOAT SALE

Consummated yesterday. The big Clothing Manufacturers, Myres, Meyer & Hartman, Broadway, New York City, accept the offer of the MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO., of Lowell, for their entire stock of **MEN'S COLLINS' MILLS KERSEY OVERCOATS,** in Black or Blue. Here is the document that told the story:—

Mill Price,
Mill Price,
Mill Price,
Merrimack
Clothing
Co.,
9 O'clock
Saturday
Morning

**THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.**
—INCORPORATED—
21,000 OFFICES IN AMERICA. CABLE SERVICE TO ALL THE WORLD.

This company TRANSMITS and DELIVERS messages only on conditions limiting its liability, which have been assented to by the sender of the following message.
Errors can be guarded against only by repeating a message back to the sending station for comparison, and the company will not hold itself liable for errors or delays in transmission or delivery of Unrepeated Messages, beyond the amount of tolls paid thereon, nor in any case where the claim is not presented in writing within sixty days after the message is filed with the Company for transmission.
This is an UNREPEATED MESSAGE, and is delivered by request of the sender, under the conditions named above.
THOS. T. ECKERT, President and General Manager.

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Dated New York 29

To H. O'Sullivan

Care Merrimac Clothing Co.

We accept your offer for our entire stock of Collins Mills Kersey overcoats we ship today.

Myres Meyer and Hartman

Mill Price,
Mill Price,
Mill Price,
Merrimack
Clothing
Co.,
9 O'clock
Saturday
Morning

These are regular $15.00 Coats, all that the manufacturers had remaining, and this lot has better lining than those sold at the mill, and will have our etiquette on the collar to distinguish them. This entire purchase will be put on sale at **9 o'clock Saturday Morning at MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE,**

# $7.50 a Coat $7.50 a Coat

BY THE BIG STORE **MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.** OPP. CITY HALL. Lowell

SALE SATURDAY MORNING AT NINE O'CLOCK.

MILL PRICE,

MILL PRICE,

$7.50 A COAT.

**UNDERWEAR AT MILL PRICE MILL PRICE**

White Wool Underwear 37 1-2c.

Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Shirts 34 to 48, Drawers 30 to 44.

Natural Wool and Camel Hair Underwear

Mill price, mill price, mill price.

**50c.**

## HOSIERY

Mill price, mill price, mill price. Natural Wool and Camel Hair Hosiery.

**2 Pairs 25c.**

25 doz. Plymouth Buck Gloves

Seconds, will wear as well as regular goods.

**50c.**

**MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.**

OPP. CITY HALL.

COLLINS' MILLS KERSEY OVERCOATS AT MILL PRICE, MILL PRICE, $7.50, NINE O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING.